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INTRODUCTION

In the past, separation of frequency assignments for associated facilities has not considered the individual system components. Consideration of these components (VOR, DME, TACAN, LOCALIZER, GLIDESLOPE) had been included in the overall separation criteria. Separations required between VORTAC Stations did not require that VOR and TACAN separations be considered separately. Separations required between ILS stations did not require that LOCALIZER, GLIDESLOPE, and DME separations be considered separately. Years ago, there was enough standardization among facilities that this could be done. In recent years, however, the use of many stations types and the variation in the radiated powers of stations has lead us to reexamine old assumptions and conclusions. As a result of this examination, we have concluded that separation of frequency assignments for associated facilities should consider the individual system components.

The use of directional antennas can have a substantial effect on the separation required between ILS Localizer frequency assignments. Since cochannel separations are larger, the effect will be greater for them than for adjacent channel separations.

Consideration of horizontal glide slope antenna directivity is not expected to have a substantial effect on the separation required between cochannel ILS systems. Since the glide slope service volume is substantially smaller than the localizer service volume, localizer separation requirements are still expected to dominate in almost all circumstances. A similar statement could be

made for those first adjacent channel glide slope which are paired with first adjacent channel localizers (example: 18x and 18y).

The situation is somewhat different for second adjacent channel glide slope stations and for those first adjacent channel glide slopes not paired with first adjacent channel localizers (example: 18y and 38x). In these cases, the glide slope separation requirement must naturally be examined individually. The horizontal antenna patterns of the glide slope antennas may have a significant effect on separation required in these cases. Consideration of the antenna pattern may be preferable to using worst case separations.

We have assembled data from a number of sources. For antenna type where horizontal patterns were not available, we have made use of NAFEC's ability to measure them. Wherever possible, comparisons have been made between the following types of information:

- Theoretical Antenna Patterns
- Measured Antenna Patterns
- Applicable FAA Antenna Specifications

Data for each antenna type is included in the appendixes. On the basis of these data, antenna patterns have been chosen for use in the frequency assignment process. These patterns are shown in the report conclusions.

DISCUSSION

Rationale for Antenna Pattern Choices

From the information available, three types of antenna data have been compared: theoretical, measured, and FAA Specifications. Ideally, agreement would be expected among these types of data. Practically, this is not always the case. For some antennas, all three types of data are not available. In reviewing what was available, we used the following general glide lines in choosing horizontal antenna patterns for the frequency assignment process.

- ____ If an FAA Antenna Specification was found to be applicable for an antenna type and if both the theoretical and the measured data compared reasonably well with it, we depended largely on the specification in choosing the pattern to be used in the frequency assignment process.
- ____ If an FAA Antenna Specification was found to be applicable and it did not compare well with the measured data, we chose a conservative frequency assignment pattern based on a carefully chosen mixture of specification and measured data. An example of this method is seen in the frequency assignment pattern chosen for the type I and type II antennas.
- ____ If no FAA Antenna Specification was applicable and if theoretical data was only available for some portion of a pattern, we tried to get as much measured data as possible before choosing a conservative pattern.
- ____ If no FAA Antenna Specification was found to be applicable

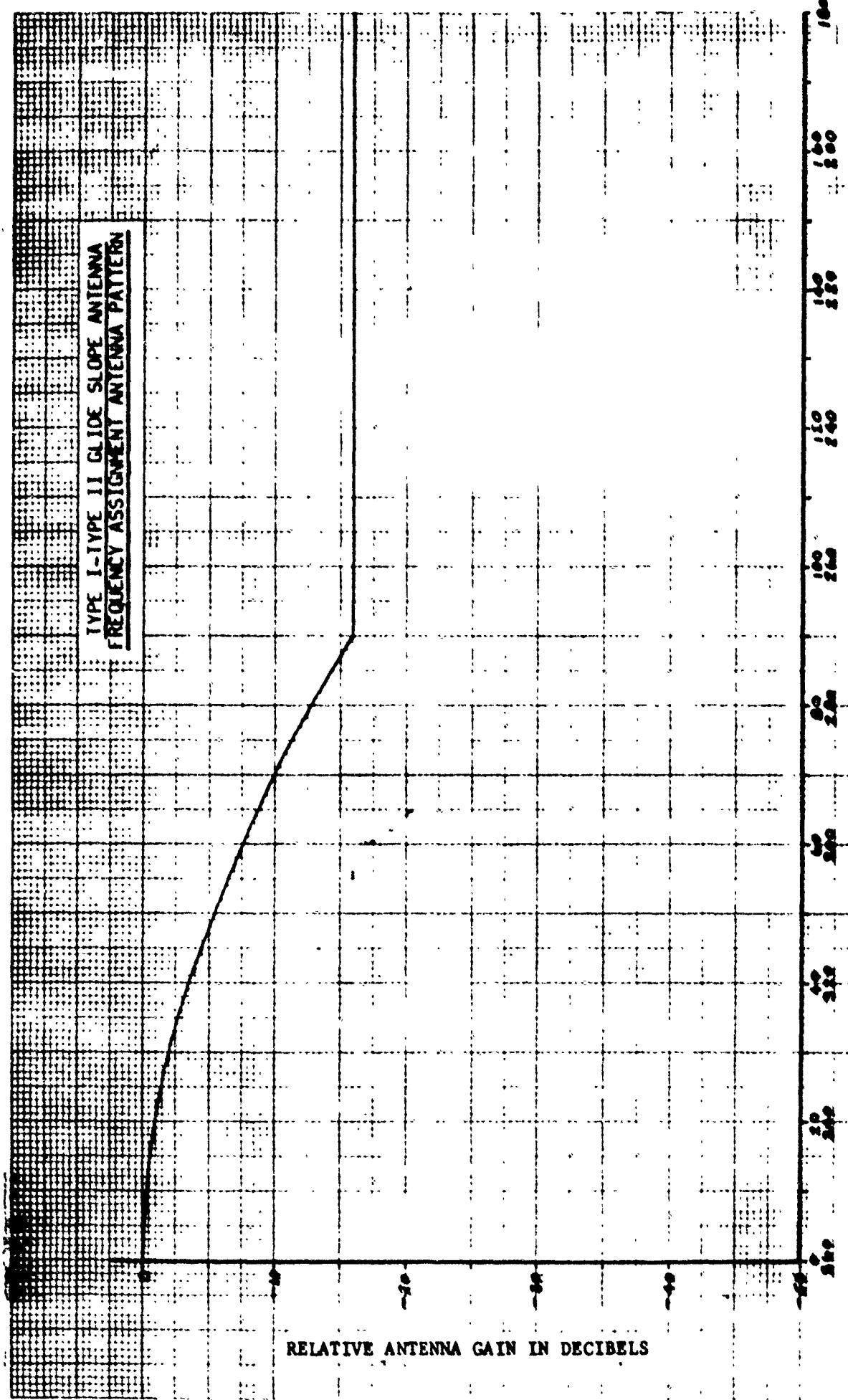
and if no theoretical pattern was available, we chose a frequency assignment pattern on the basis of the measured data. The patterns chosen for the Stan-38, End-Fire Slotted-Cable, and the A.I.L. Type 55 Glide Slope Antennas are examples of this method.

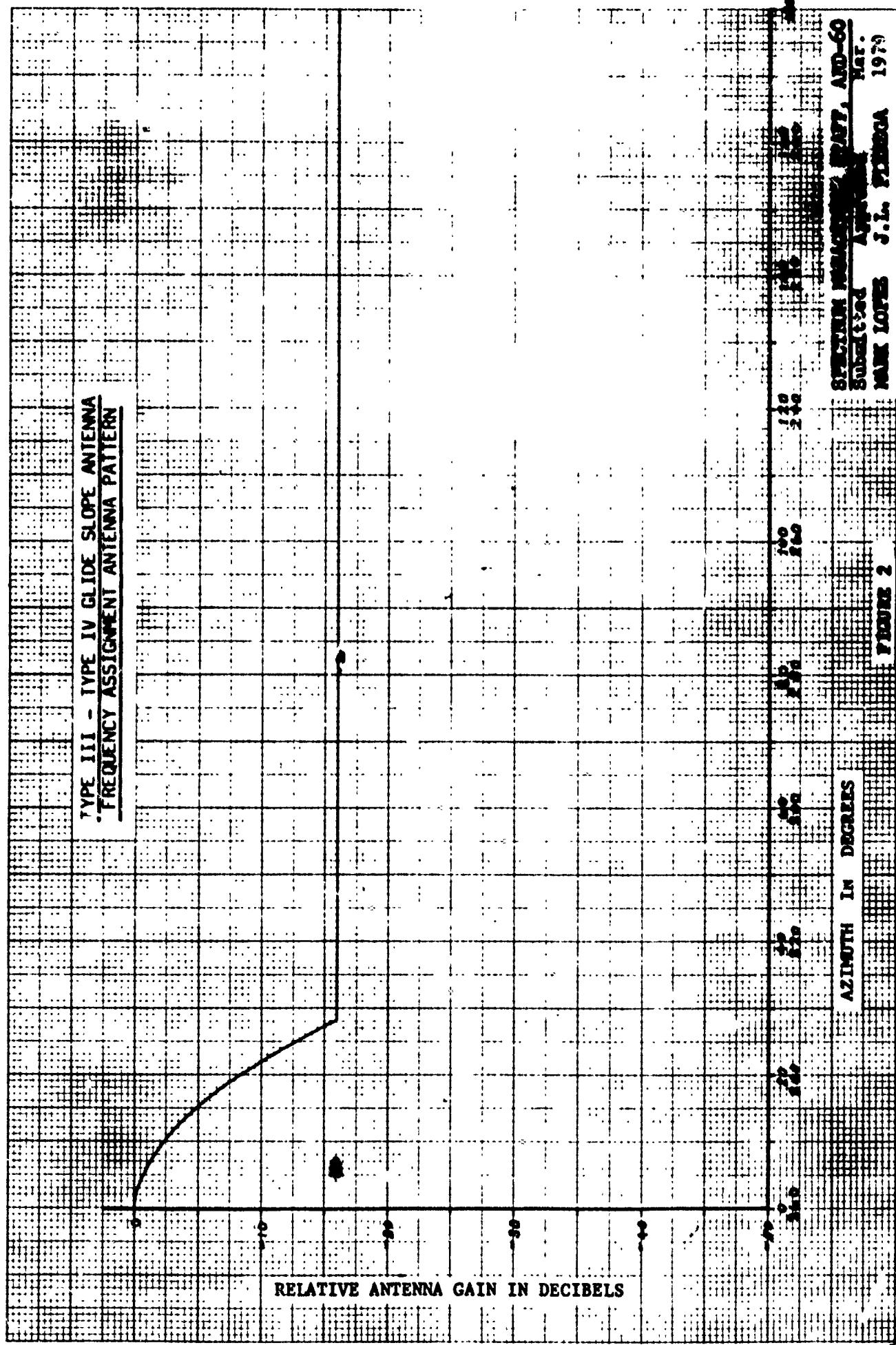
CONCLUSIONS

1. The difference between the horizontal antenna patterns of various ILS glide slope antenna types are not as large as what has been found for ILS localizers. Nevertheless, some differences are apparent. In some cases, it may be desirable to take these differences into account in the frequency assignment process.
2. Recommended antenna patterns are shown in figures 1 thru 7. These patterns are intended as tools for avoiding interference between ILS glide slopes. In some cases, these are not the best patterns to use as tools for avoiding interferences between ILS glide slopes and other types of radio services. Should the need arise to make such an analysis, discussion with the Spectrum Management Staff (ARD-60) is recommended.
3. A frequency assignment antenna pattern is not included for the wave-glide antenna since no horizontal antenna patterns were found. Antenna data on this system is therefore still required. Additional data would also be helpful on the A.I.L. Type 55 glide slope and the end-fire slotted cable system.

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FIGURE 1





MAX LOAD
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FIGURE 3

ANTENNA GAIN

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FREQUENCY SLOPE MILLION
CYCLES PER SECOND

RELATIVE ANTENNA GAIN IN DECIBELS

TYPE VIII AND ALL TYPE SS GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNAS
FREQUENCY ASSIGNMENT ANTENNA PATTERNS

RELATIVE ANTENNA GAIN IN DECIBELS

AZIMUTH IN DEGREES

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FIGURE 4

THREE METER ANTENNA PATTERN AND GAIN
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FIGURE 5

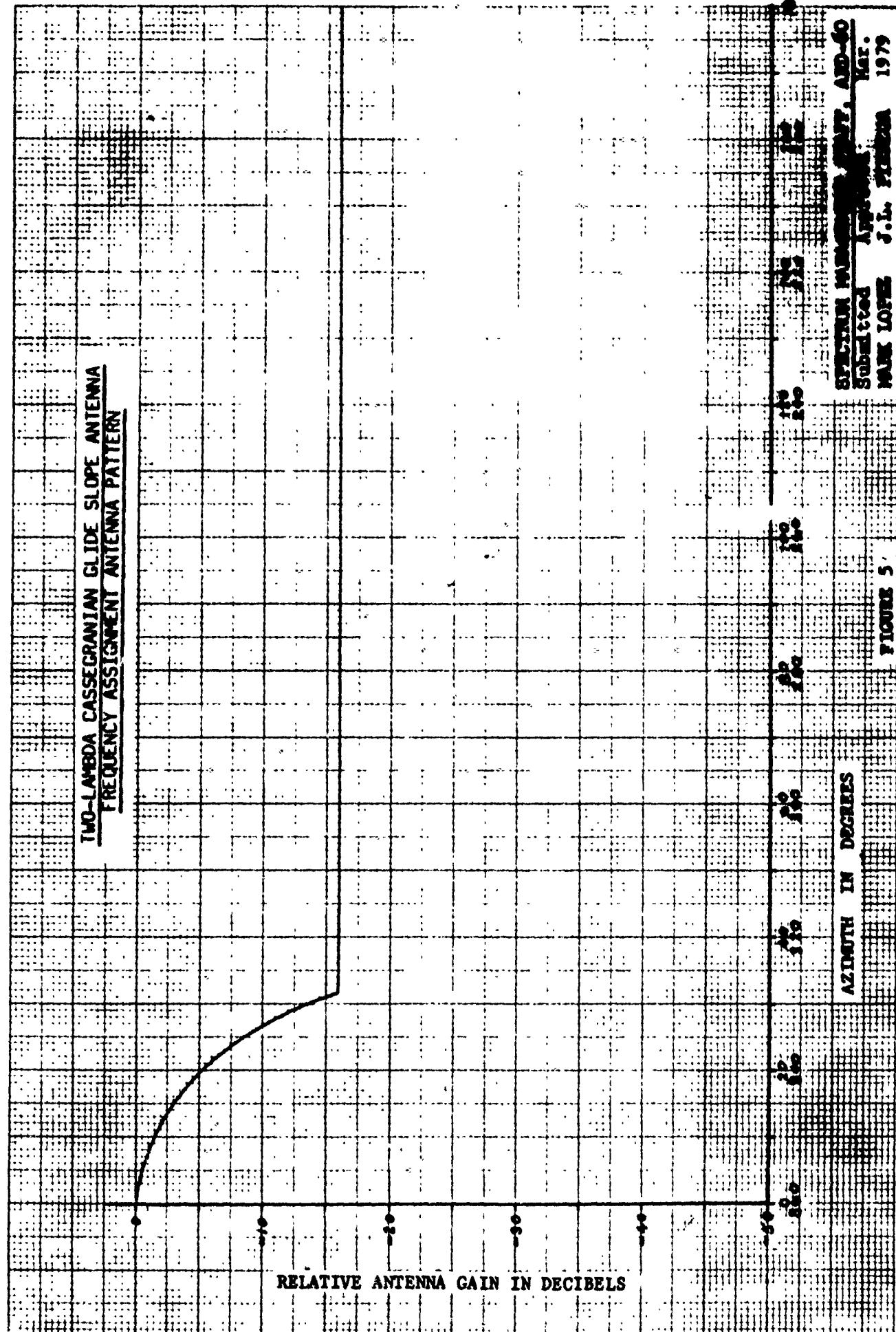
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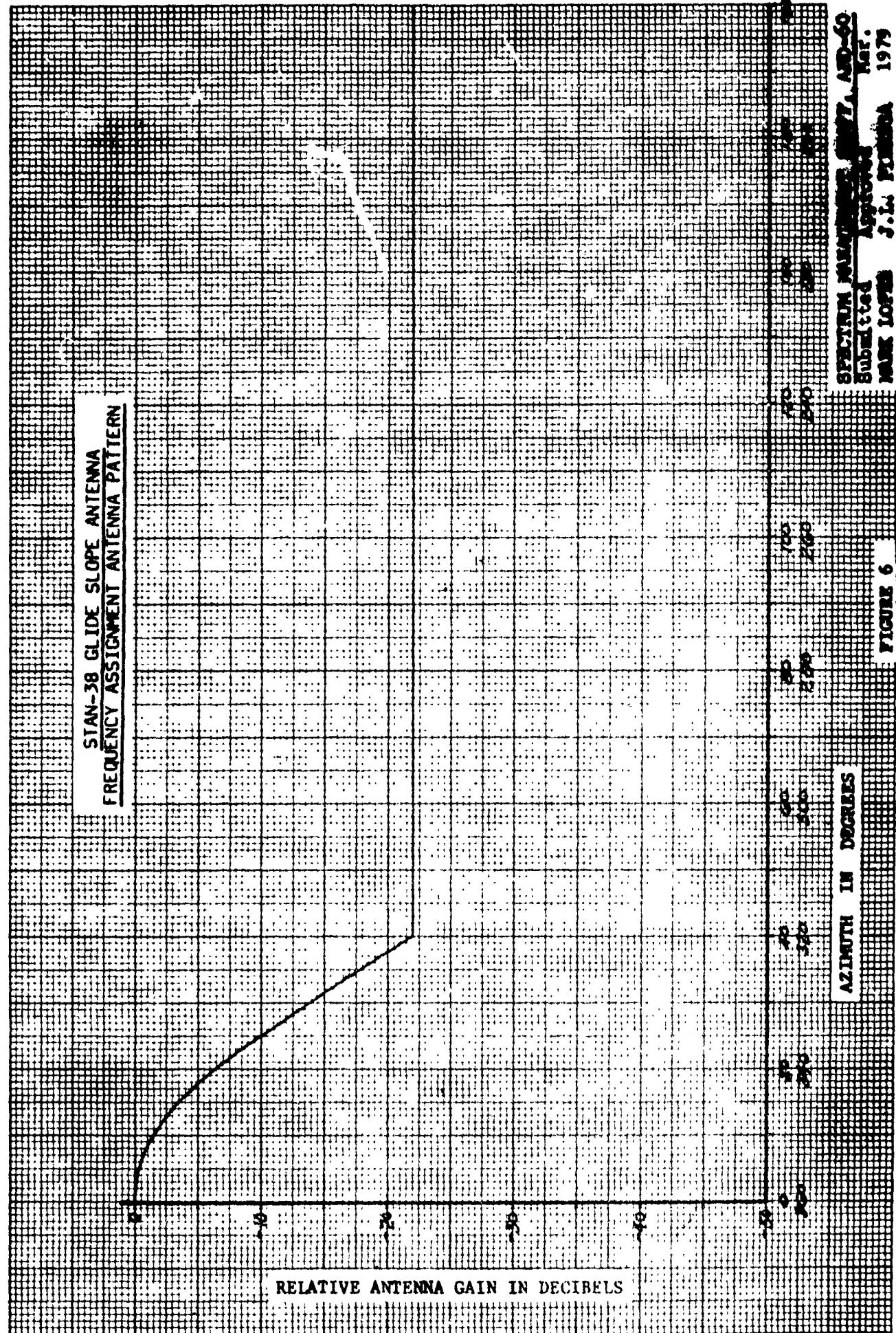
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RELATIVE ANTENNA GAIN IN DECIBELS

THREE-LAMBDA CASSEGRAINIAN GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
FREQUENCY ASSTEMED ANTENNA PATTERN





TYPE VII AND AII TYPE SS GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNAS
FREQUENCY ASSIGNMENT ANTENNA PATTERNS

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AZIMUTH IN DEGREES



FIGURE 4

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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

AGL	Above Ground Level
A.I.L.	Airborne Instrument Laboratory
A.P.C.	Antenna Products Company
CE	Capture Effect Glide Slope System
dB	Decibel
DWG	Drawing
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
G/S	Glide Slope
ILS	Instrument Landing System
kHz	Kilohertz
km	Kilometer
MHz	Megahertz
NAFEC	National Aviation Facilities Experimental Center
nmi	Nautical Miles
NR	Null Reference Glide Slope System
RF	Radio Frequency
RWY	Runway
SBR	Sideband Reference Glide Slope System
SRDS	Systems Research and Development Service
T.I.	Texas Instruments
TTH	Telecommunication Technical Handbook

APPENDIX A

TYPE I AND TYPE II ANTENNAS

The Type I antenna consists of a half - wave dipole mounted on an elliptical ground plane and enclosed in a radome. The Type II antenna is the same as the Type I, except it is equipped with a heater. The addition of the heater does not affect the antenna pattern. These antennas have primarily been used with the older tube type transmitters. They are gradually being phased out in favor of antennas with a more directional azimuthal pattern. Only limited measured data was found on these antennas.

The measured data taken at NAFEC (Fig. A3) compares well with the theoretical patterns. In addition, it compares reasonably well with the requirements of specification FAA-E-2245 (Fig. G1). The measured data from Trenton (Fig. A4) does not compare quite as well. The main lobe of the pattern is somewhat narrower and the pattern slightly exceeds the -16dB limit between 242 and 264 degrees. No explanation was available for these discrepancies. The frequency assignment antenna pattern recommended for the Type I and Type II Glideslope Antennas (Fig. 1) is based on the specification (FAA-E-2245) and figures in Appendix A.

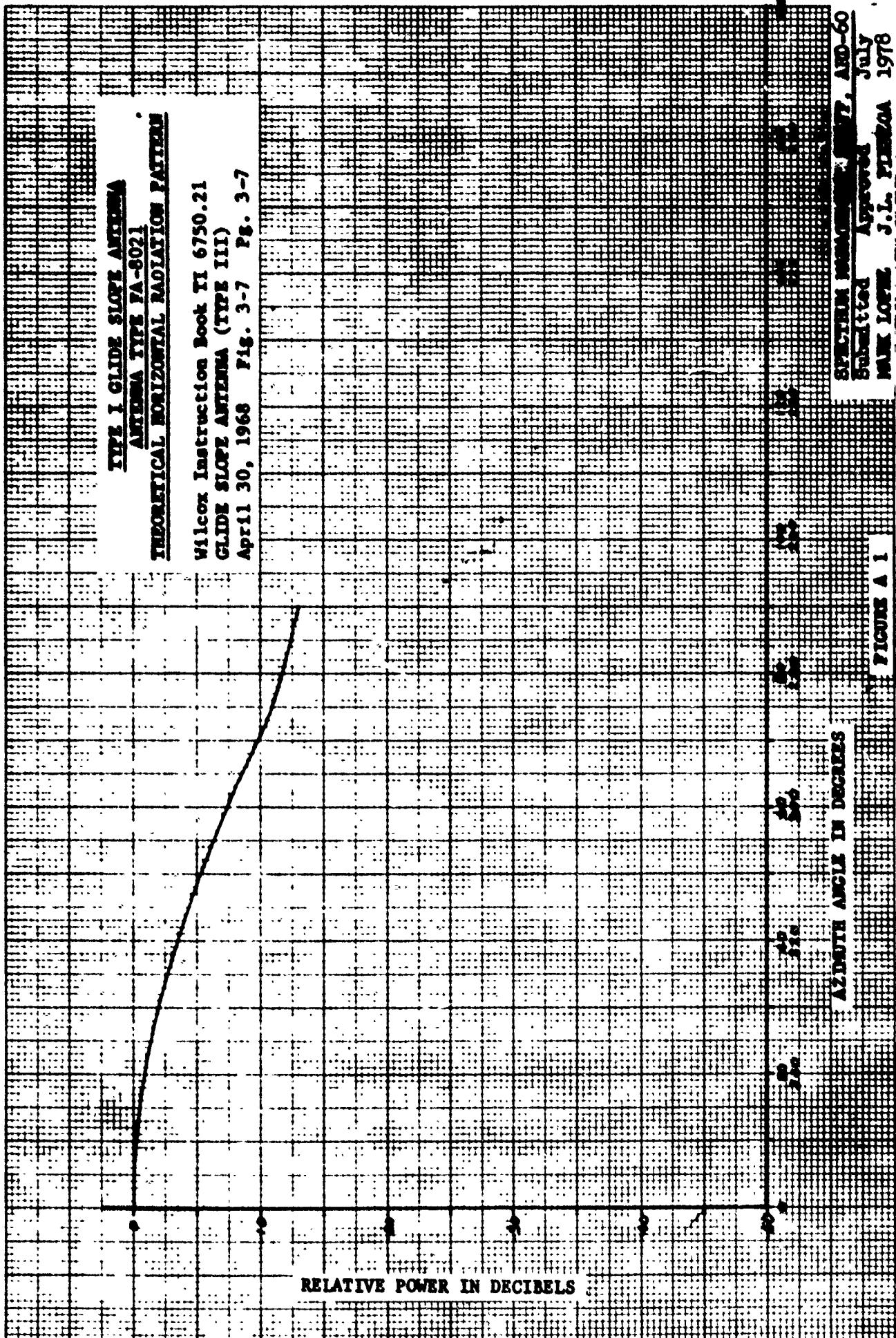


FIGURE A 1

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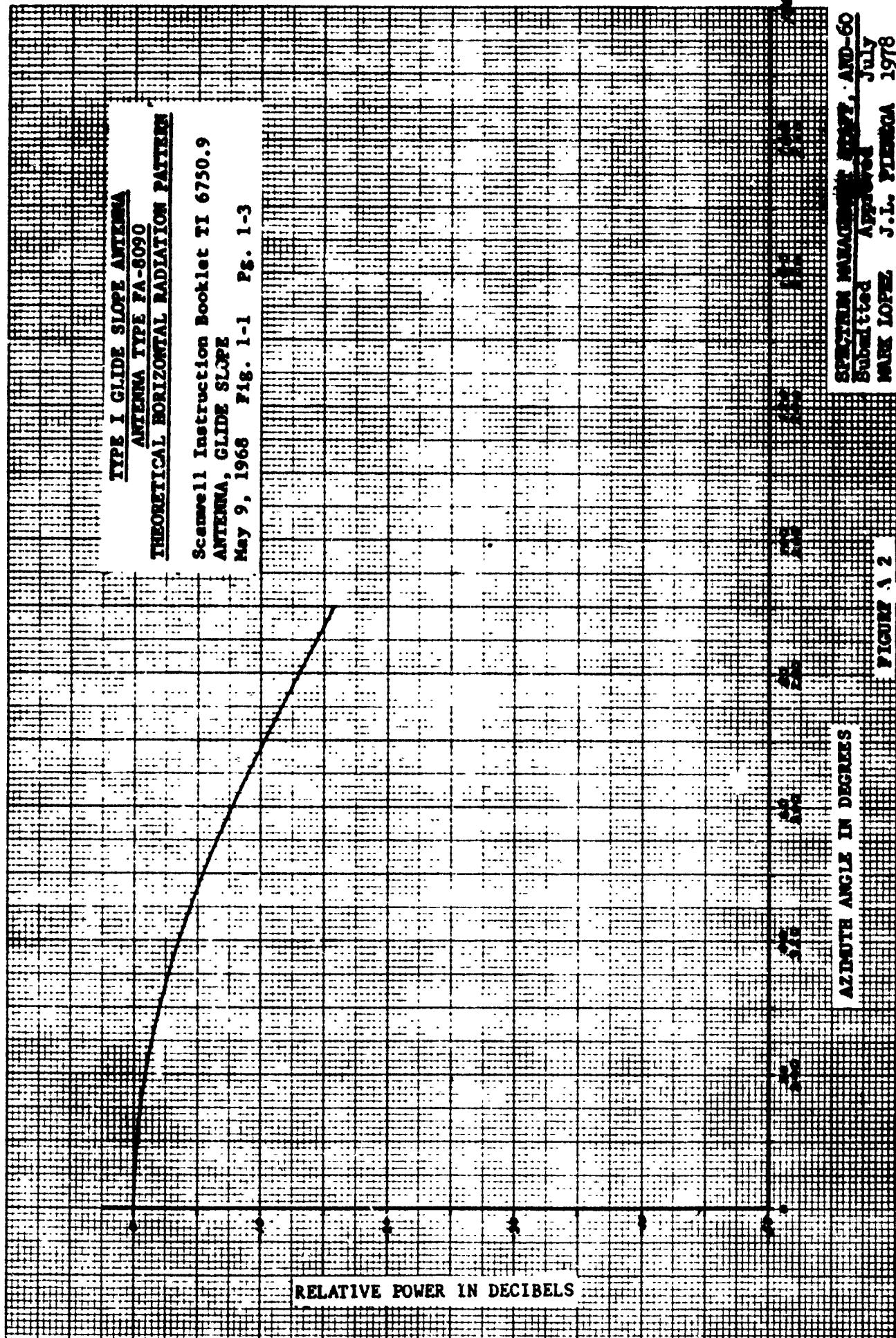
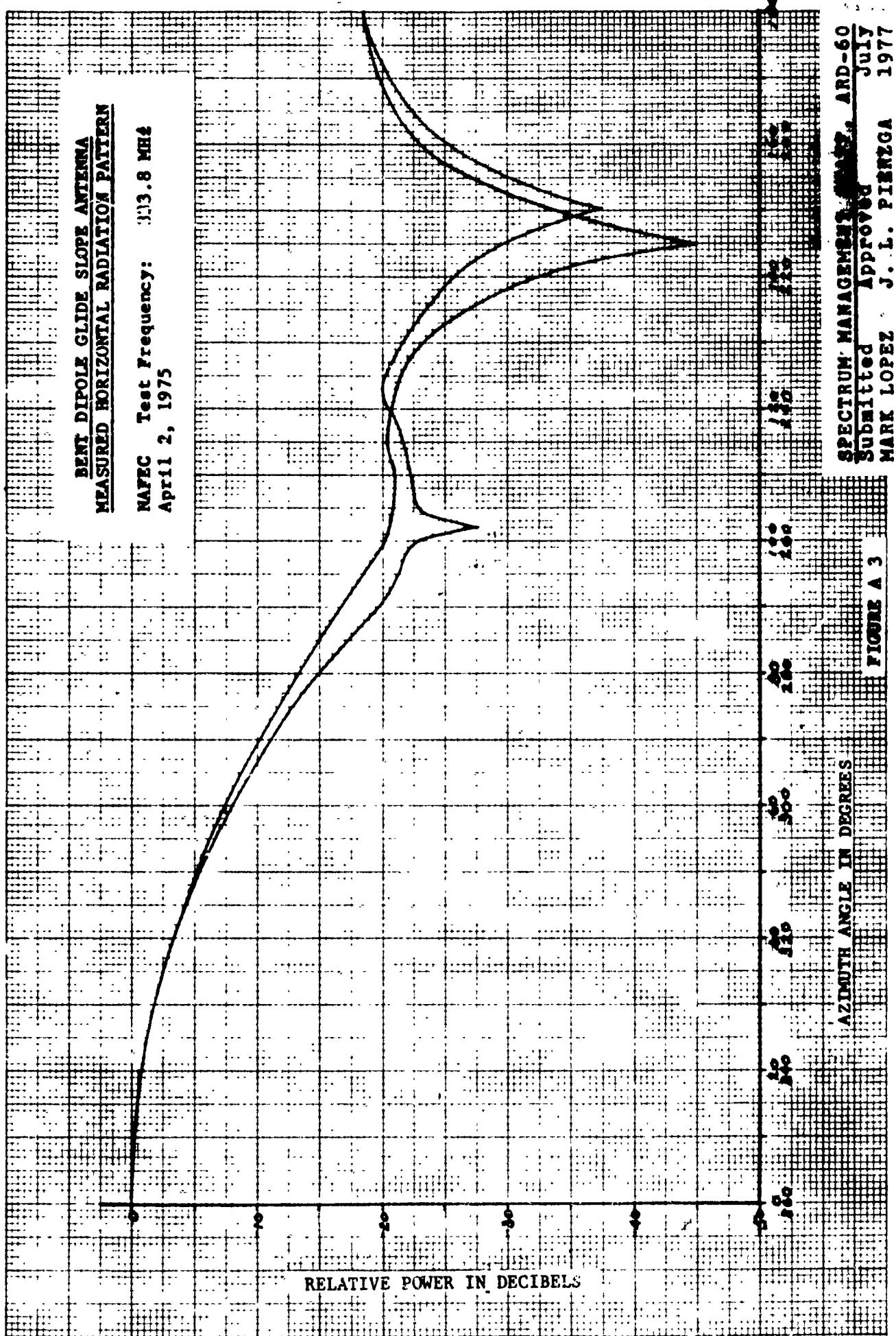


FIGURE 1-2



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FIGURE A.3

**TYPE I - TYPE II GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
MEASURED HORIZONTAL ANTENNA PATTERN**

Trenton, N.J., Mercer Co. Airport, RWY 6
I-TIN, 332.3 MHz., 4500 ft (1372m), AGL
Sideband Reference Configuration
NAFEC Aircraft, 25 Sept. 1978

RELATIVE ANTENNA GAIN IN DECIBELS

SPECTRUM MEASURED AT 100, 200, 300, 400,
500, 600, 700, 800, AND 900
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FIGURE A 4

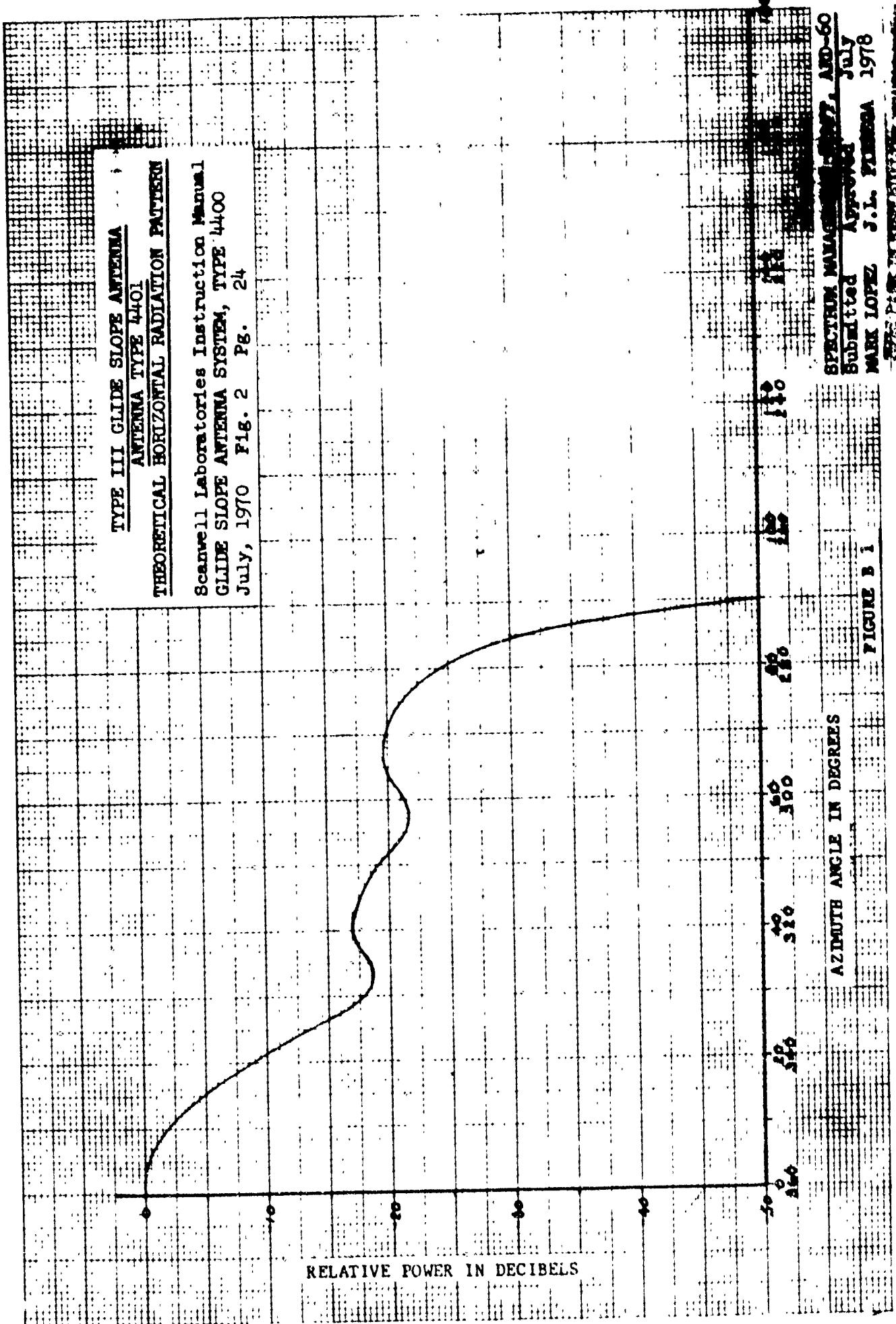
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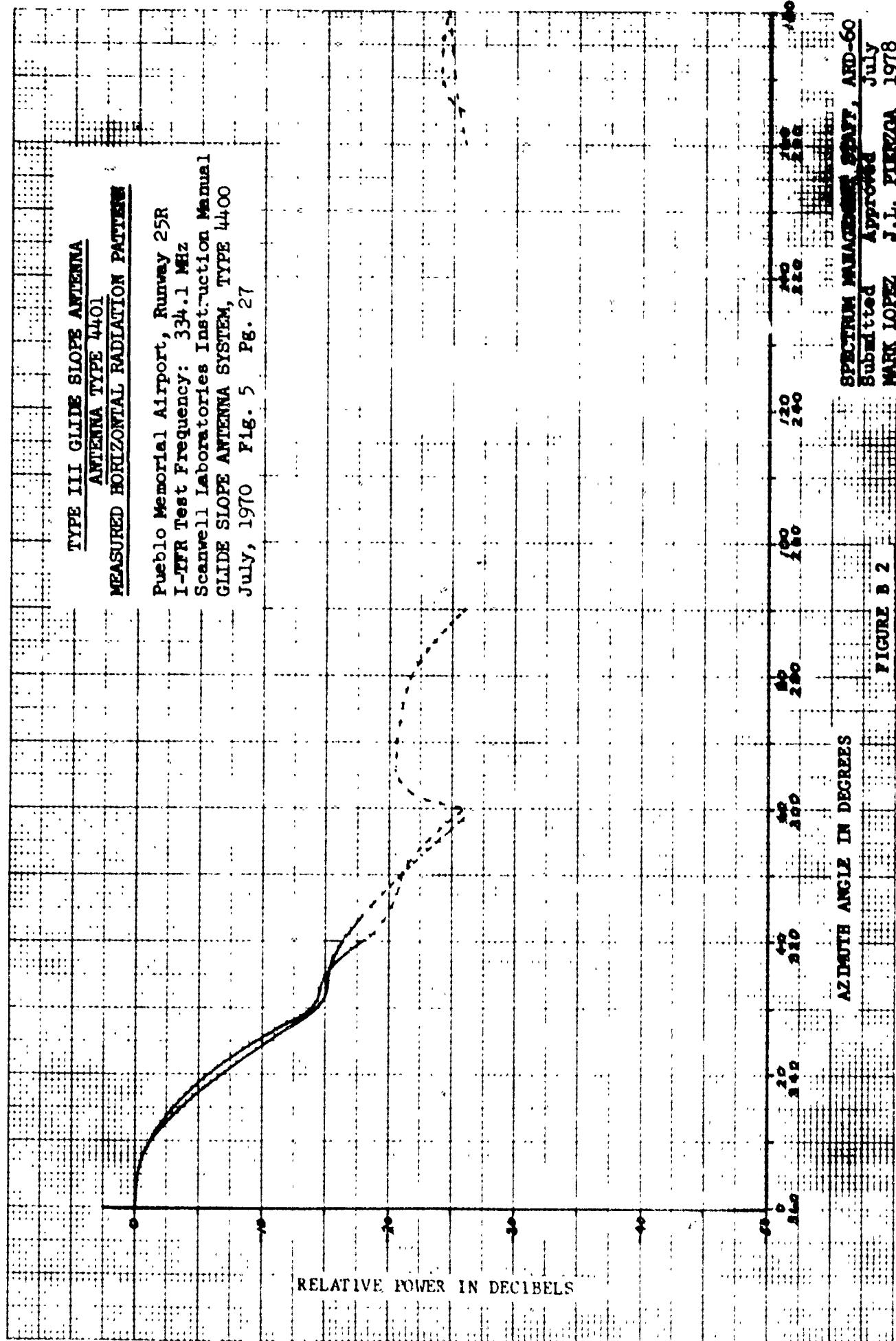
TYPE III AND TYPE IV ANTENNAS

The Type III antenna is composed of three Type I antennas mounted on an iron frame with an array spacing of approximately 0.75 wave lengths at the mid-band frequency (332.0 MHz). The Type IV antenna is similar to the Type III antenna, except it contains three Type II antennas. (This amounts to the addition of 3 heaters and does not affect the horizontal antenna pattern). These two types are the most widely used glide slope antennas.

The available data includes nine theoretical and measured patterns taken from various publications (Figs. B1 thru B8 and B11). These data compare reasonably well with the applicable specifications; FAA-E-2245 and FAA-E-2429 (Figs. G2 and G5). An additional five measured patterns were obtained from NAFEC data (Figs. B9, B10, B12, B13, and B14). These patterns show some discrepancies. Allentown and Hagerstown compare well with both the theoretical pattern and the specifications, but don't appear to meet the modified requirement of the contract specification with regard to the lower limit of the antenna pattern between 0 and 50 degrees. Dulles does not compare well with either the theoretical pattern or the two specifications. No explanation for this disagreement is available at this time. Allegheny County compares reasonably well with the recommended Type III - Type IV frequency assignment pattern, but contains an unexplained peak between 60 and 85 degrees where the data exceeds the -16dB maximum. Reading agrees well with the Type III - Type IV pattern in the front course, but contains some unusual variations in the data outside 20 degrees. NAFEC could provide no explanations for these irregularities. The frequency assignment antenna pattern recommended for the Type III and

Type IV glide slope antennas is based on specification FAA-E-2245 (Fig. G2)
and the material in Appendix B.





**TYPE III GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
IN A 90° CORNER REFLECTOR
MEASURED HORIZONTAL RADIATION PATTERN**

Test Frequency: 332.0 MHz

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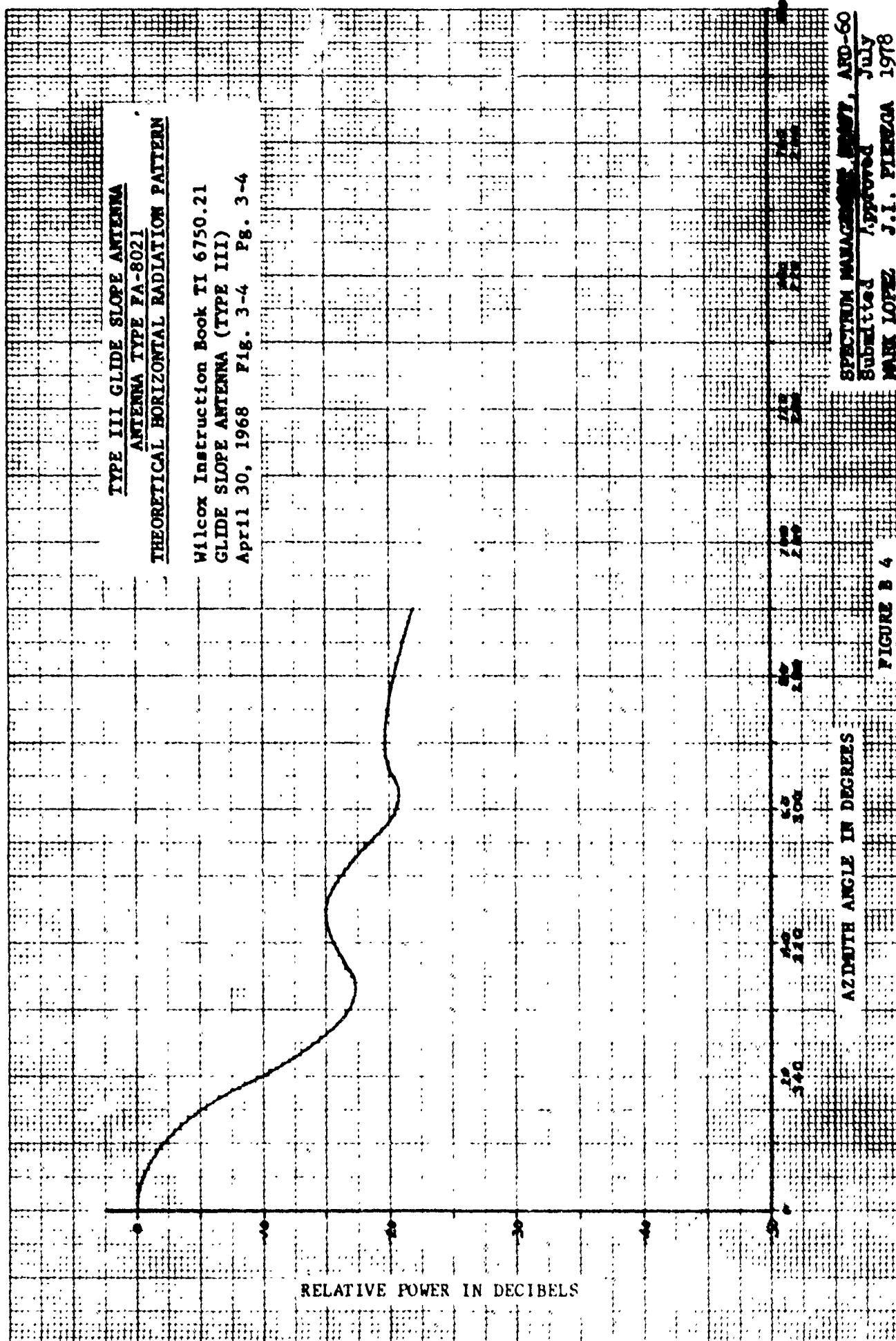
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AZIMUTH ANGLE IN DEGREES

FIGURE B 3

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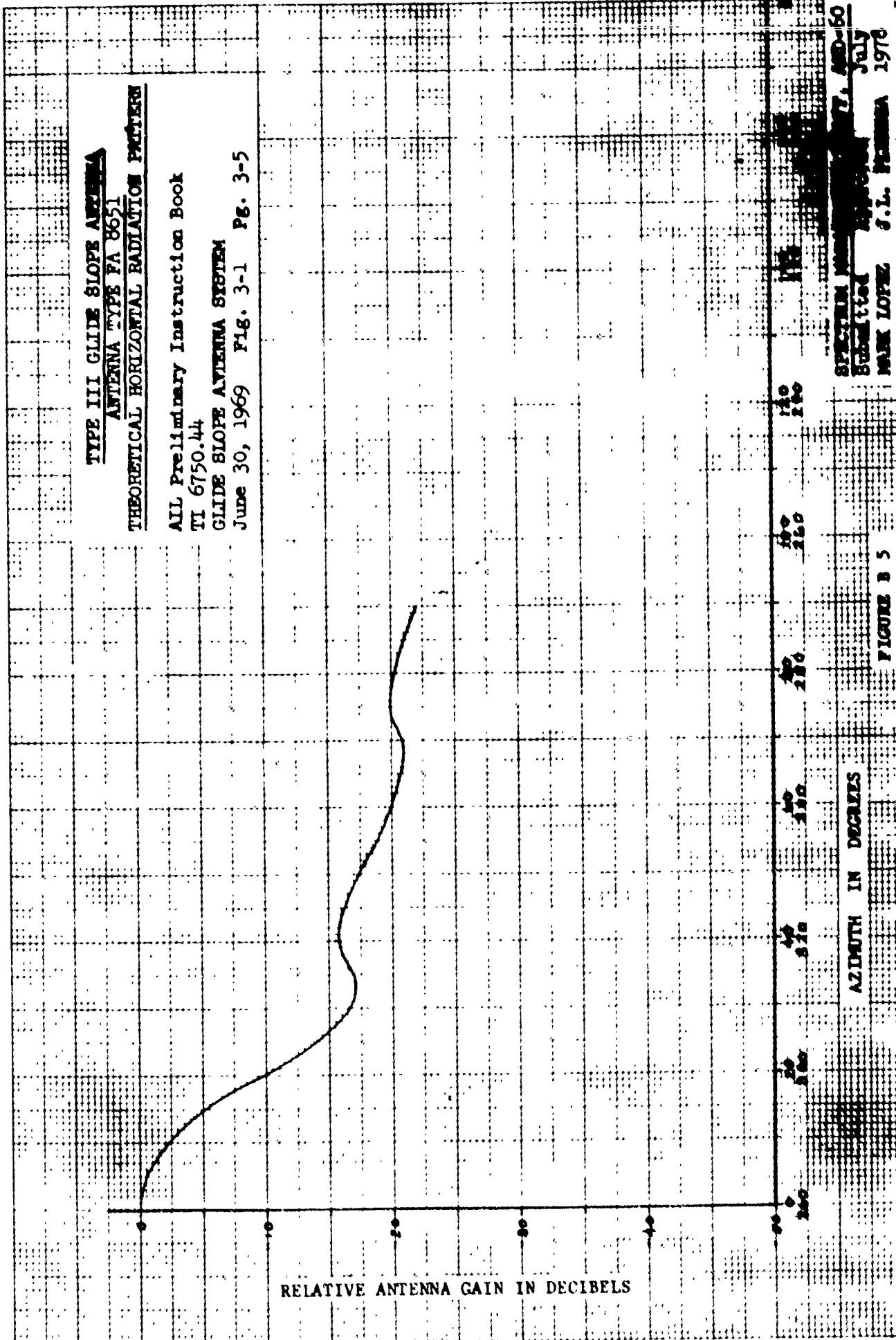
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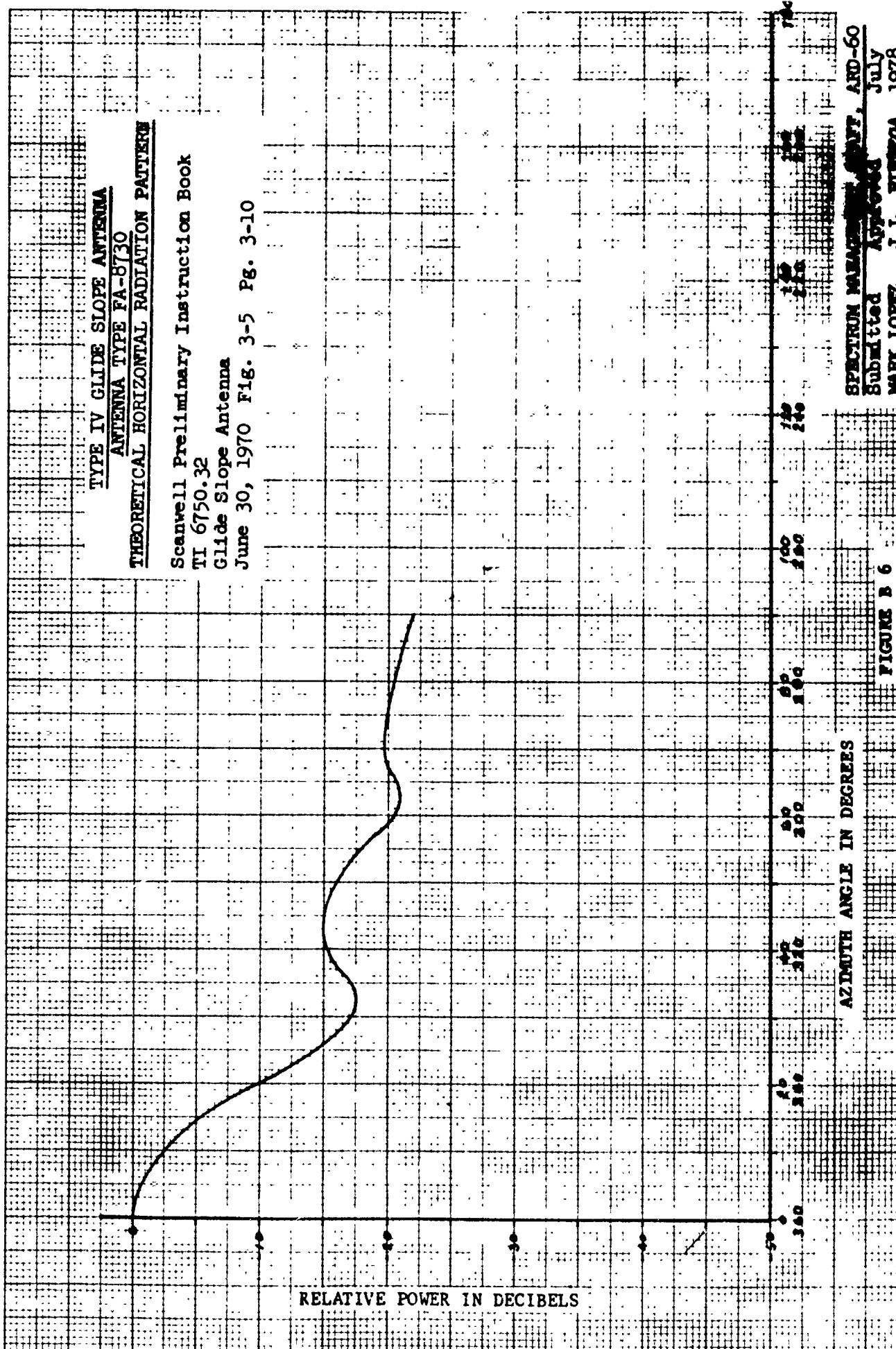


TYPE III CLIMB SLOPE ANTENNA
ANTENNA TYPE PA 8621
THEORETICAL HORIZONTAL RADIATION PATTERN

All Preliminary Instruction Book
TI 6750.44

GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA SYSTEM
June 30, 1969 Fig. 3-1 Pg. 3-5





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FIGURE B 6

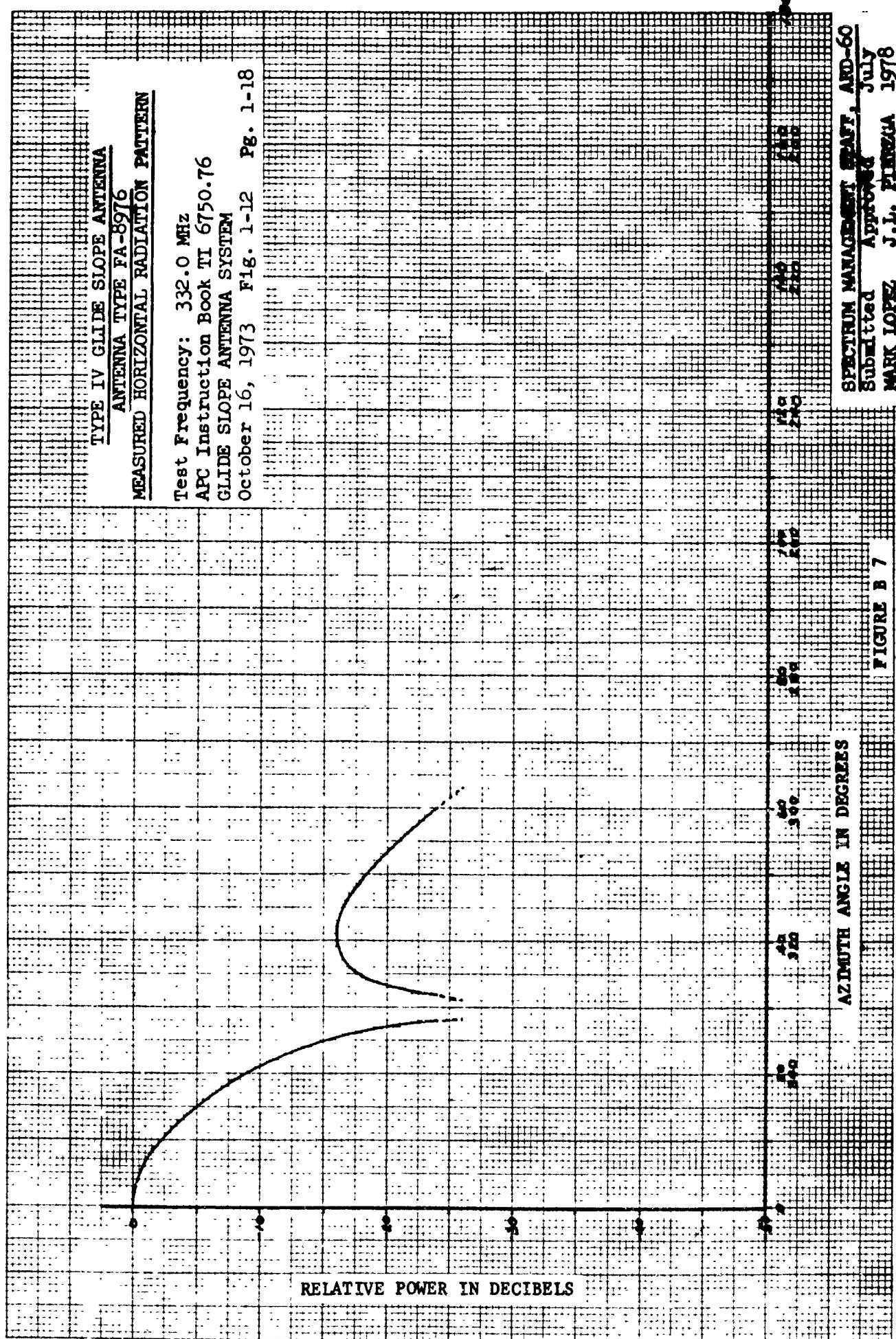
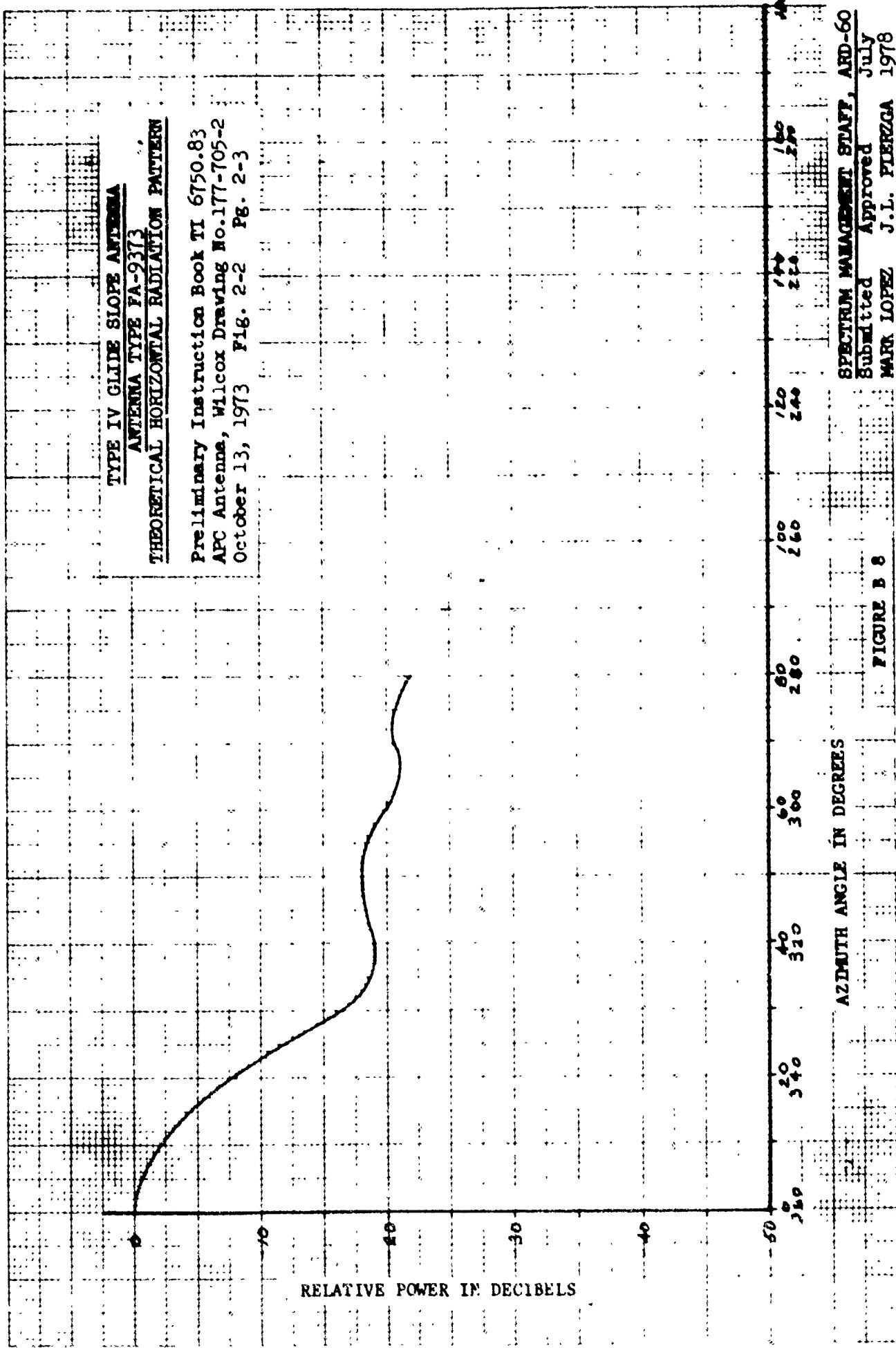
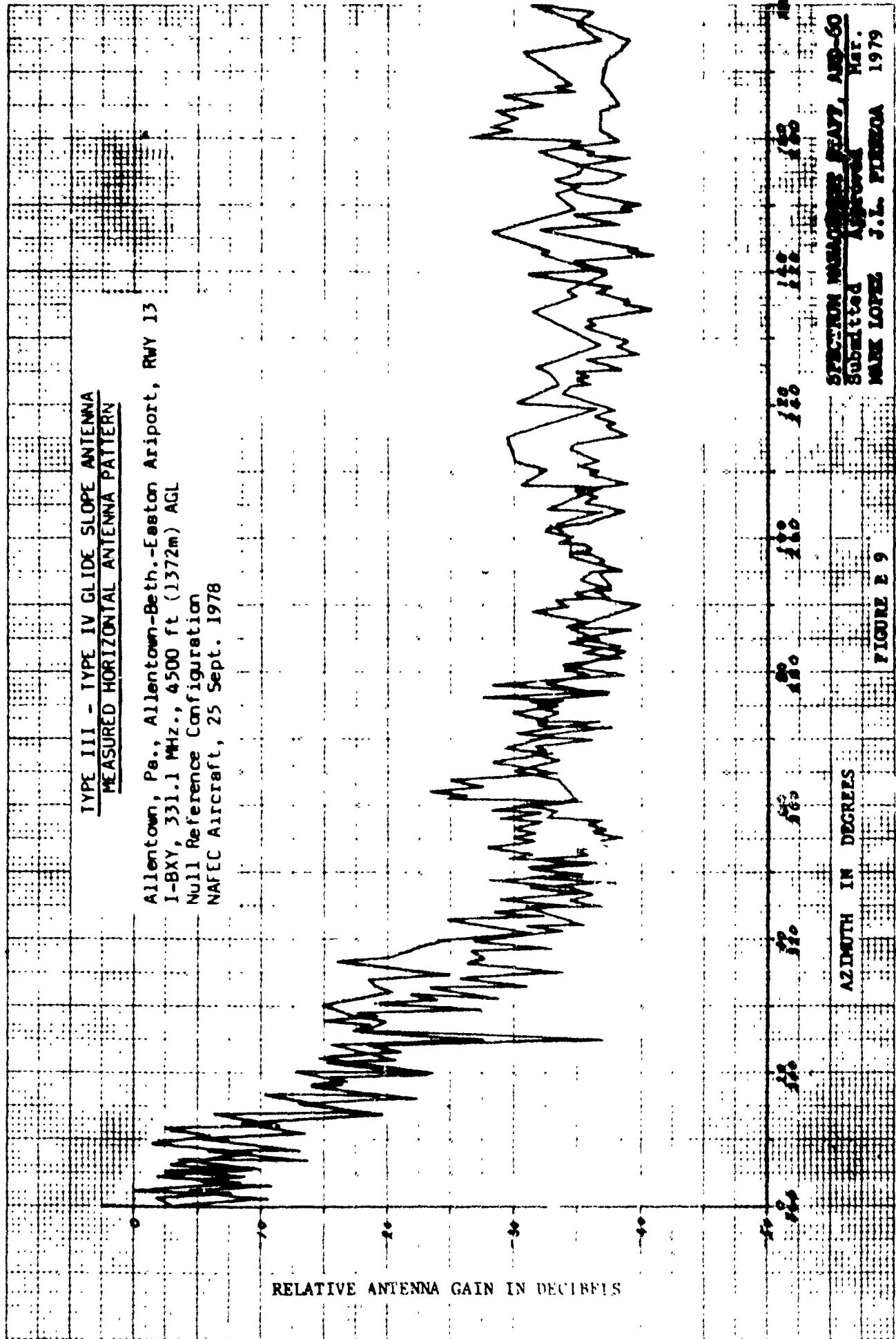
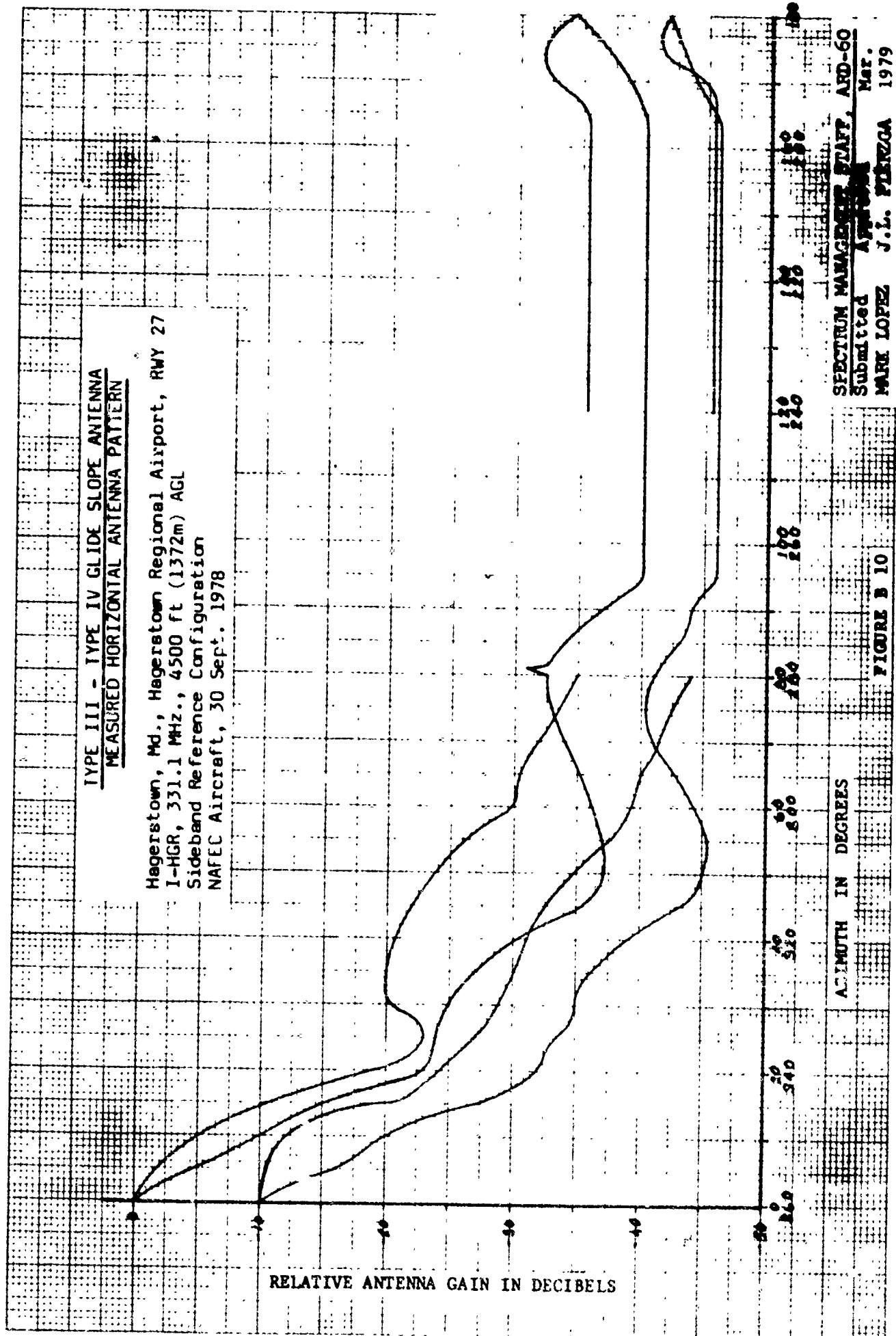


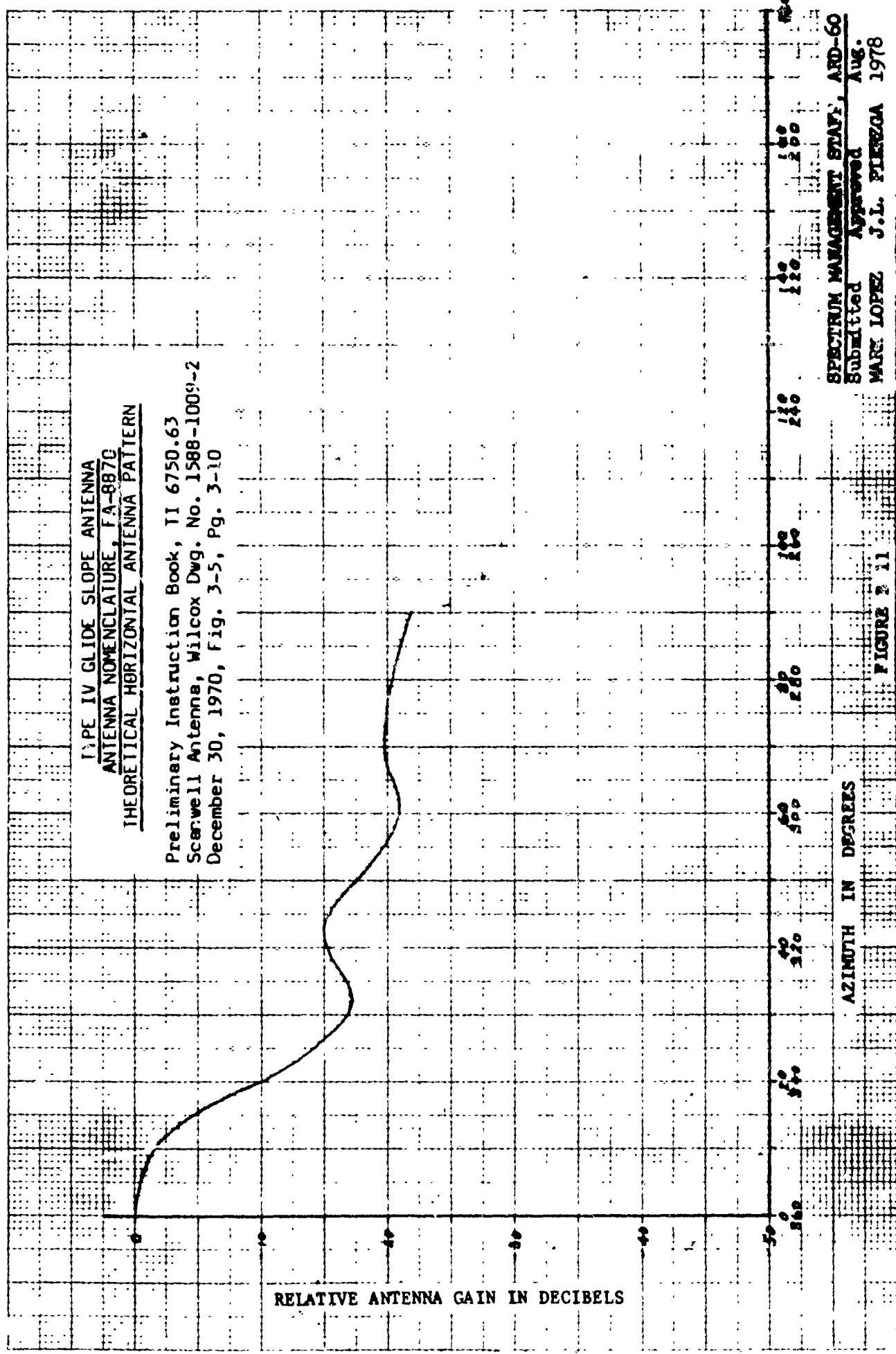
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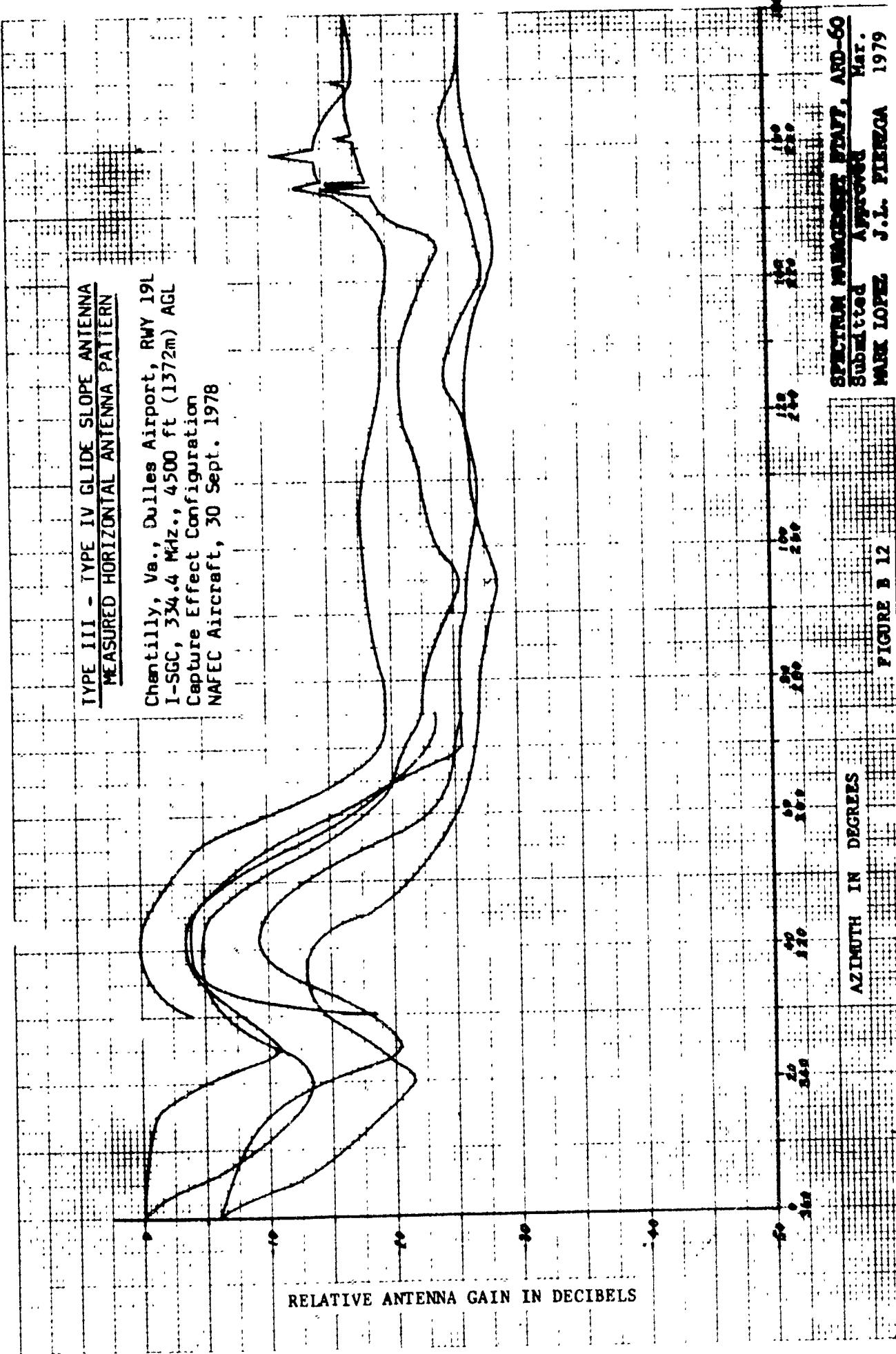
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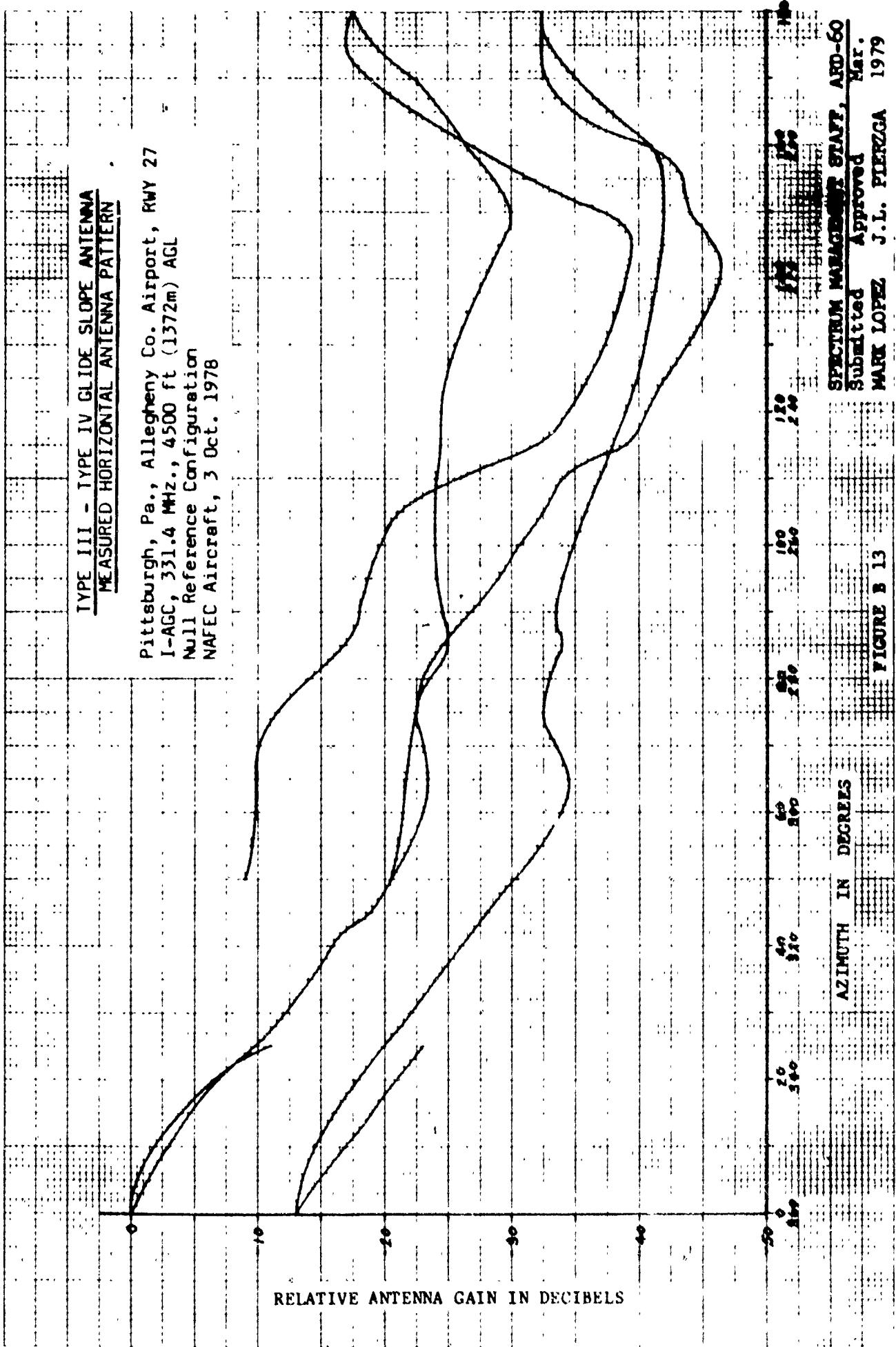


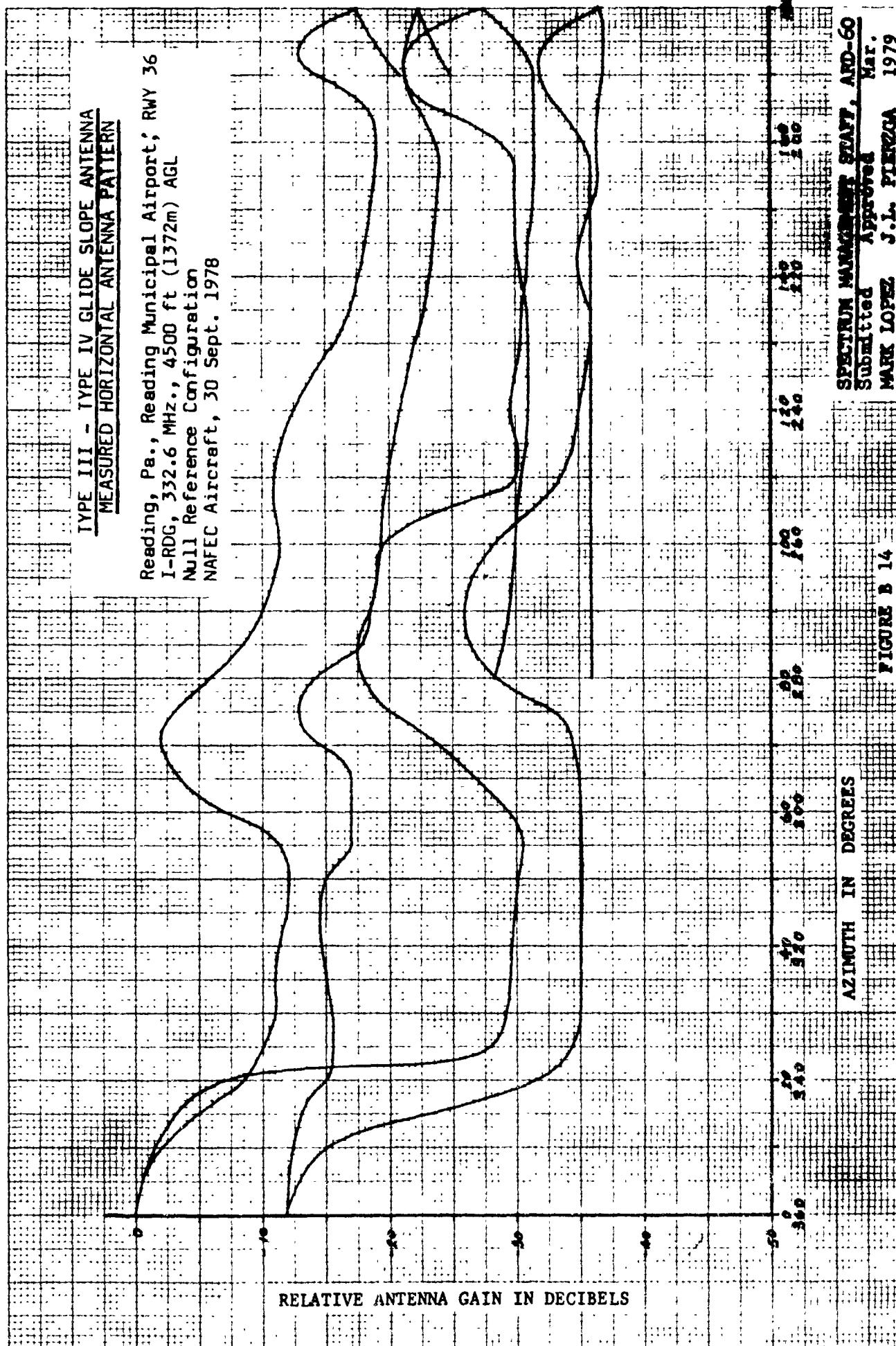












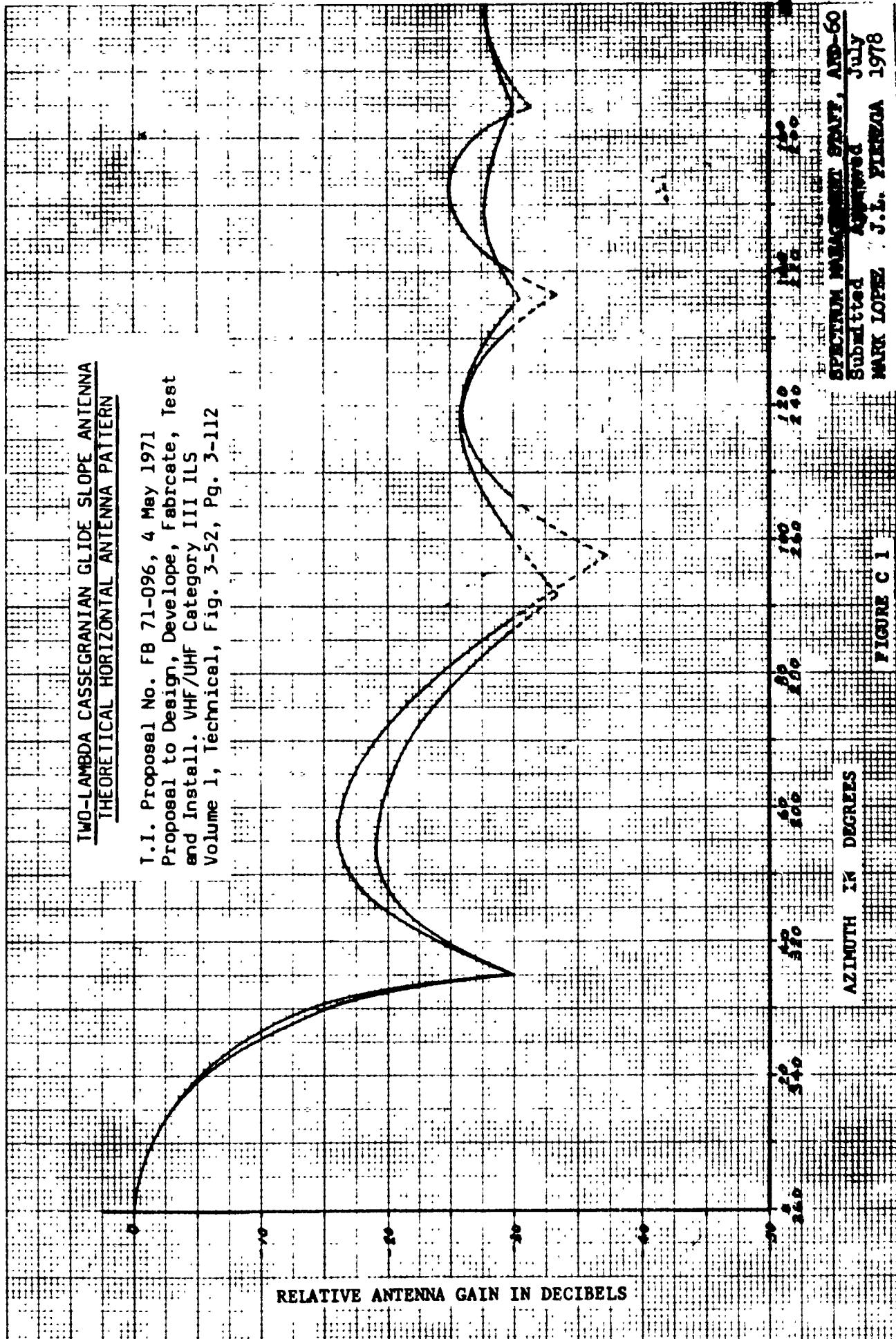
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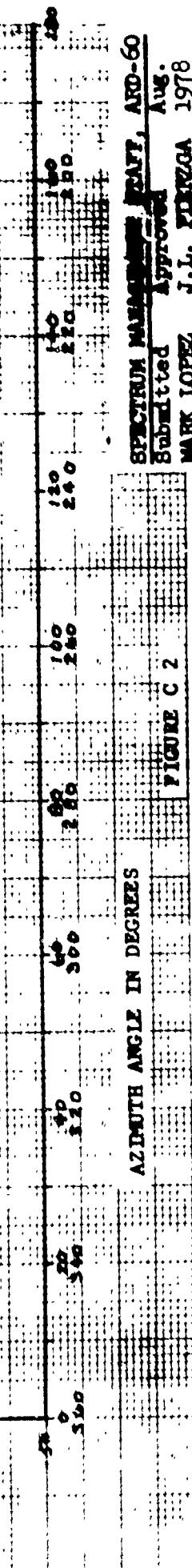
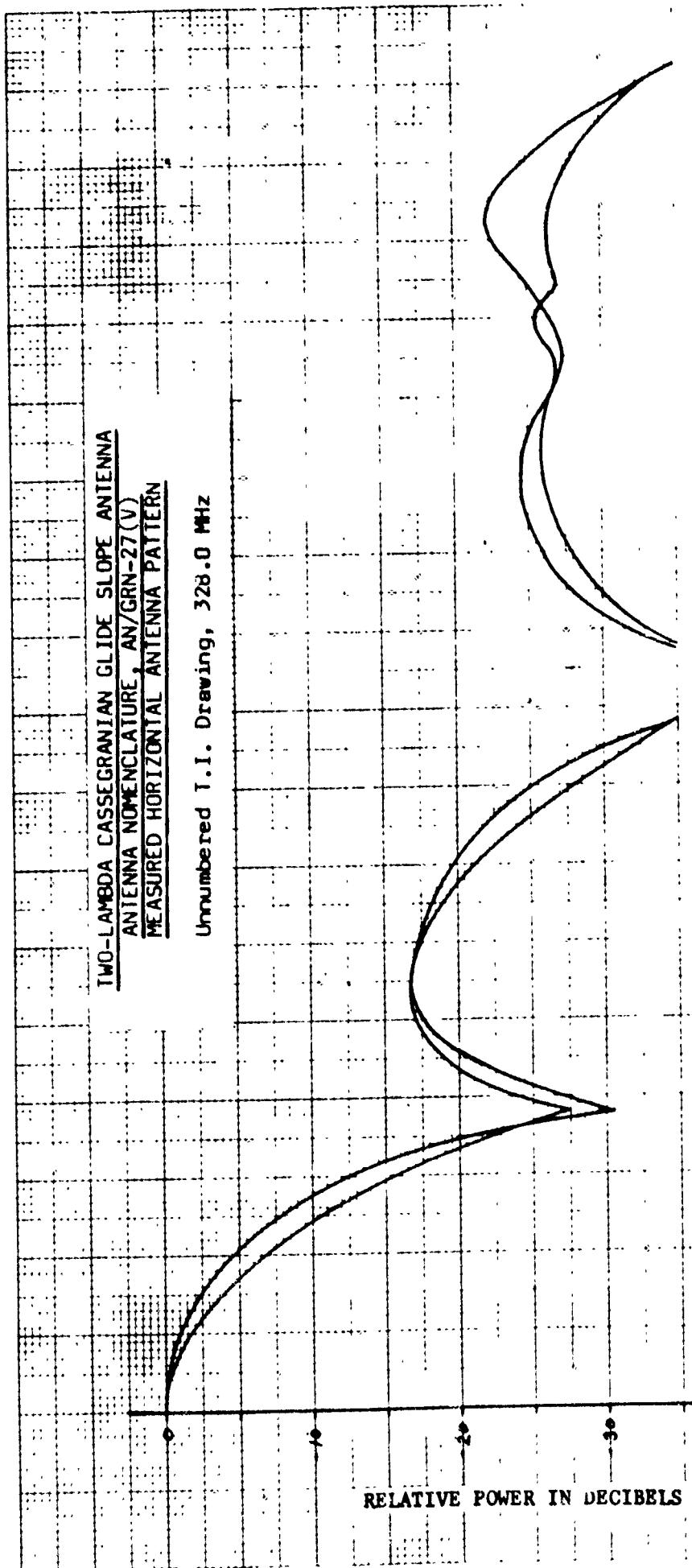
THE TWO-LAMBDA CASSEGRANIAN ANTENNA

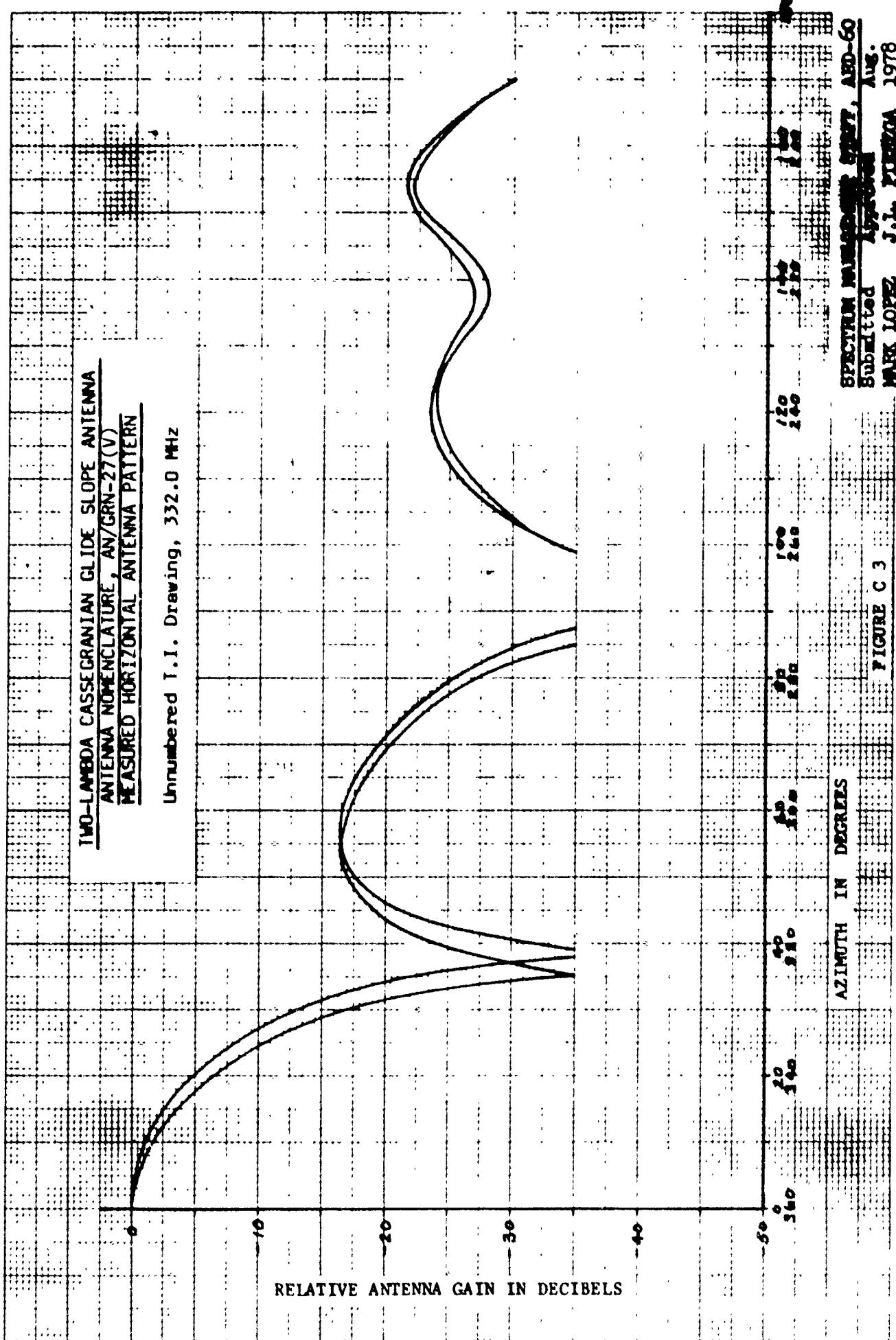
The two-lambda cassegranian glide slope antenna is produced by Texas Instruments for use with its AN/GRN-27 (V) and Mark III glide slope systems. Each antenna consists of a single dipole with a director, reflector, secondary two-lambda by one-lambda reflecting surface, and two proximity (monitor) probes, all enclosed in a radome.

Only limited data on this system was available. The three measured patterns supplied by T.I. (Figs. C2 thru C4) agree well with the theoretical pattern (Fig. C1). In addition, they fall within the limits of FAA specification FAA-E-2429 (Fig. G5). The two patterns produced from NAFEC data (Figs. C5 and C6) don't agree very well with the theoretical pattern. In addition, they appear to have a narrower front course pattern than what is required by the specification.

The frequency assignment antenna pattern recommended for the two-lambda cassegranian glide slope antenna is based on specification FAA-E-2429 (Fig. 5) and the figures in Appendix C.







TWO-LAMBDA CASSEGRANIAN GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
ANTENNA NOMENCLATURE, AN/GRN-27(V)
MEASURED HORIZONTAL ANTENNA PATTERN

Unnumbered I.I. Drawing, 336.0 MHz

RELATIVE POWER IN DECIBELS

SPECTRUM MEASURED ON STANT. AND-60
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AZIMUTH ANGLE IN DEGREES

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**TWO-LAMBDA CASSEGRAINIAN GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
MEASURED HORIZONTAL ANTENNA PATTERN**

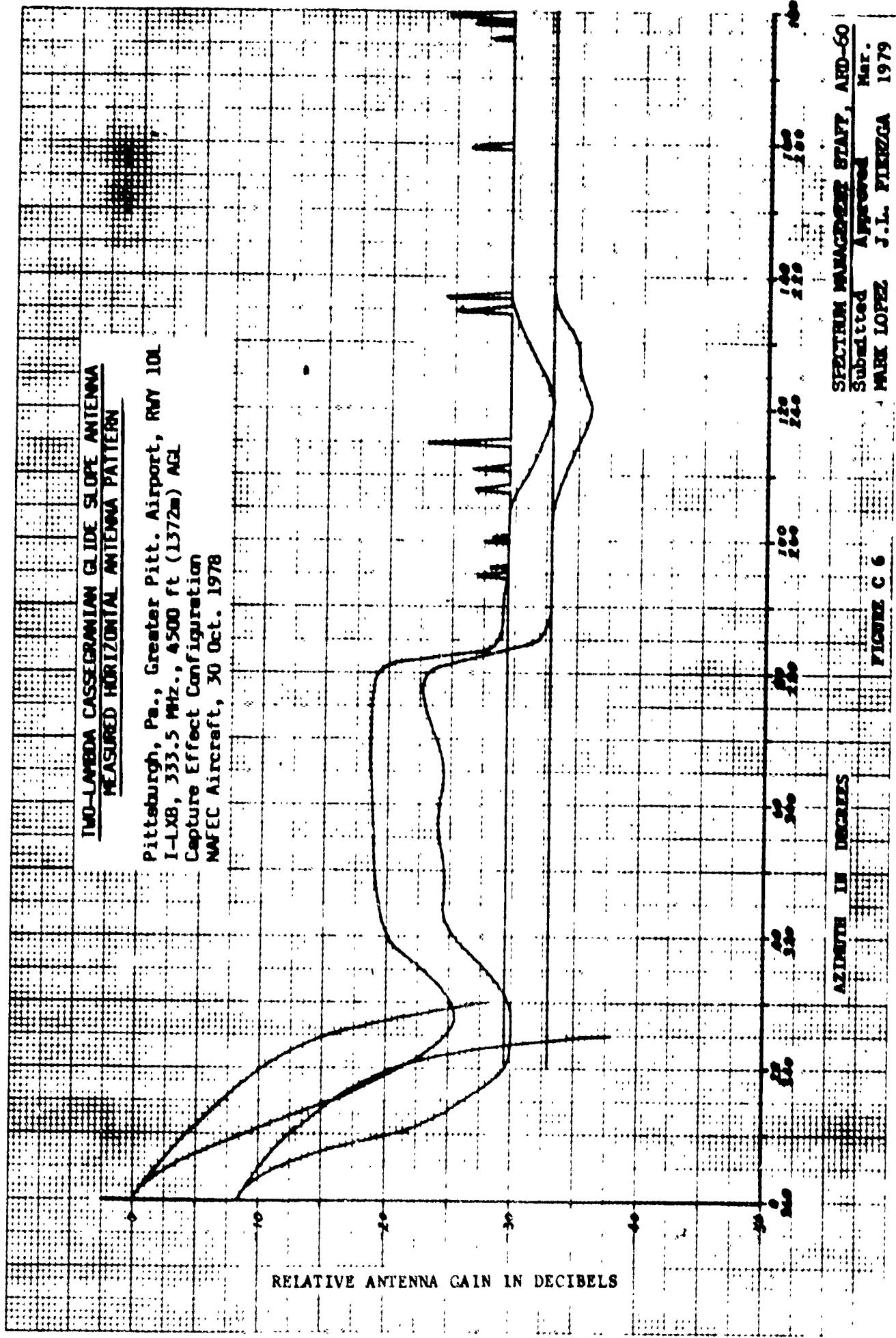
Atlantic City, N.J., NAFEC, RWY 13
I-PVO, 331.4 MHz., 4500 ft (1372m) AGL
Capture Effect Configuration
NAFEC Aircraft, 30 Sept. 1978

RELATIVE ANTENNA GAIN IN DECIBELS

AZIMUTH IN DEGREES

SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT PART, AND-60
Submitted Appendix
Mark Lopez J.L. PIERZA 1979

FIGURE C 5



APPENDIX D

THE STAN-38 ANTENNA

The Stan-38 glide slope is a part of the British ILS system located at Dulles Airport. This is the only system of its kind presently commissioned in the U.S. Additional installations in this country are unlikely.

This system uses an image - type antenna designed for use in the conventional null reference, sideband reference, and capture effect systems. The antenna is unique in that each aerial contains six dipoles (U.S. manufactured arrays house a maximum of three).

Only limited information was available on the Stan-38. The one antenna pattern obtained (Fig. D1) was taken from the British instruction manual. The frequency assignment pattern is based on this pattern, the theoretical 3dB points, the side lobe ratio, and the front-to-back ratio.

**STAN 38 GLINE SLOPE ANTENNA
MEASURED HORIZONTAL RADIATION PATTERN**

Test Frequency: 332.0 MHz
British Report No. TTH 309,
HB. 1268/2-A Issue 1
INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM EQUIPMENT
GLINE PATH TYPE STAN 38
June, 1968 Fig. 7/2

RELATIVE POWER IN DECIBELS

SPECIMEN MEASURED PATTERN, AND-60
Submitted by J.L. Perea July 1978

FIGURE D 1

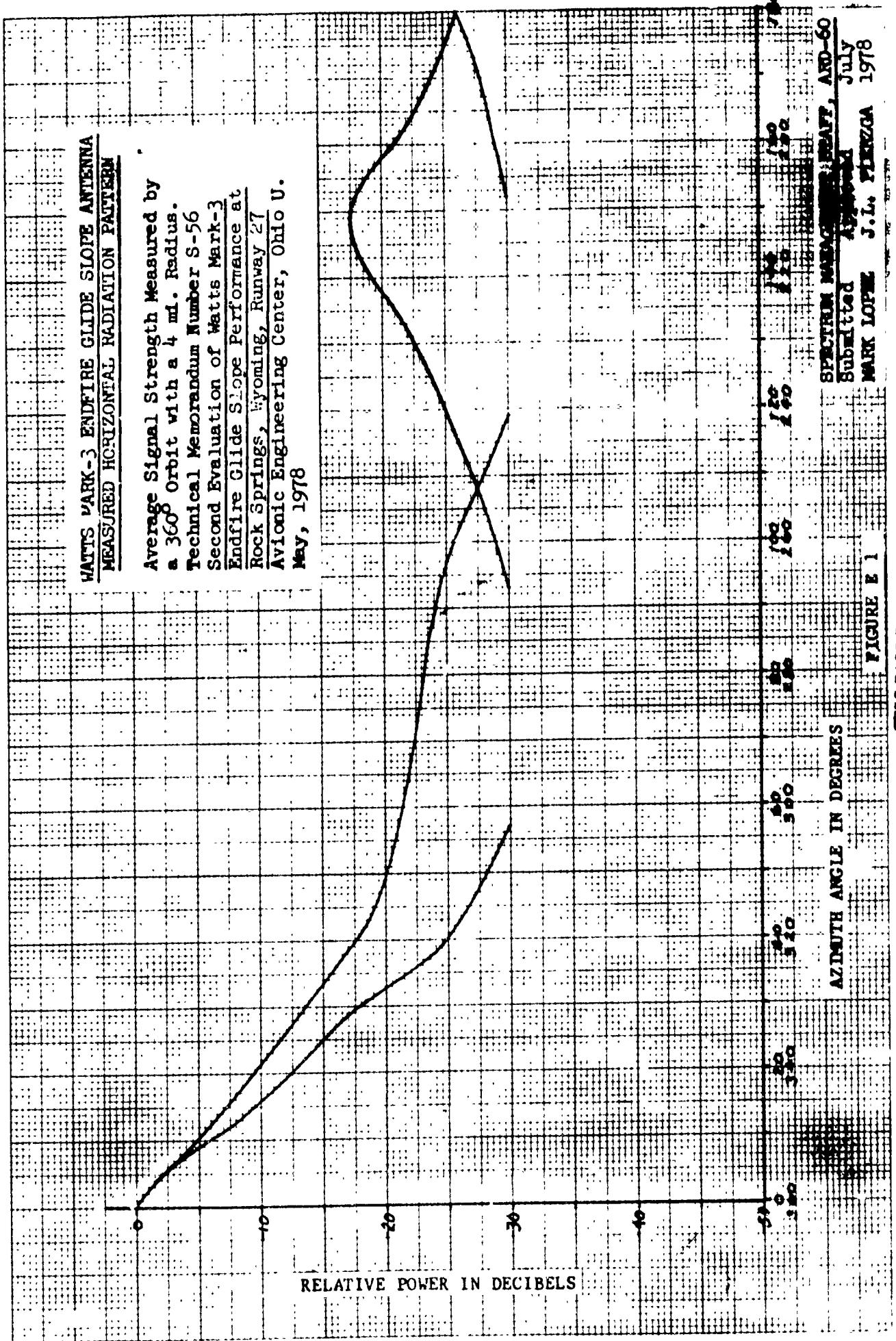
AZIMUTH ANGLE IN DEGREES

APPENDIX E

THE END-FIRE SLOTTED CABLE ANTENNA

This antenna system is a non-image, end-fire type glide slope currently under development. A ground image is not required to form the glide path. Rather, the difference in path lengths from the two antennas to the aircraft produces the on-or-off course signals. This system is designed to provide glide slope service for runways where site conditions make it difficult to install the existing systems.

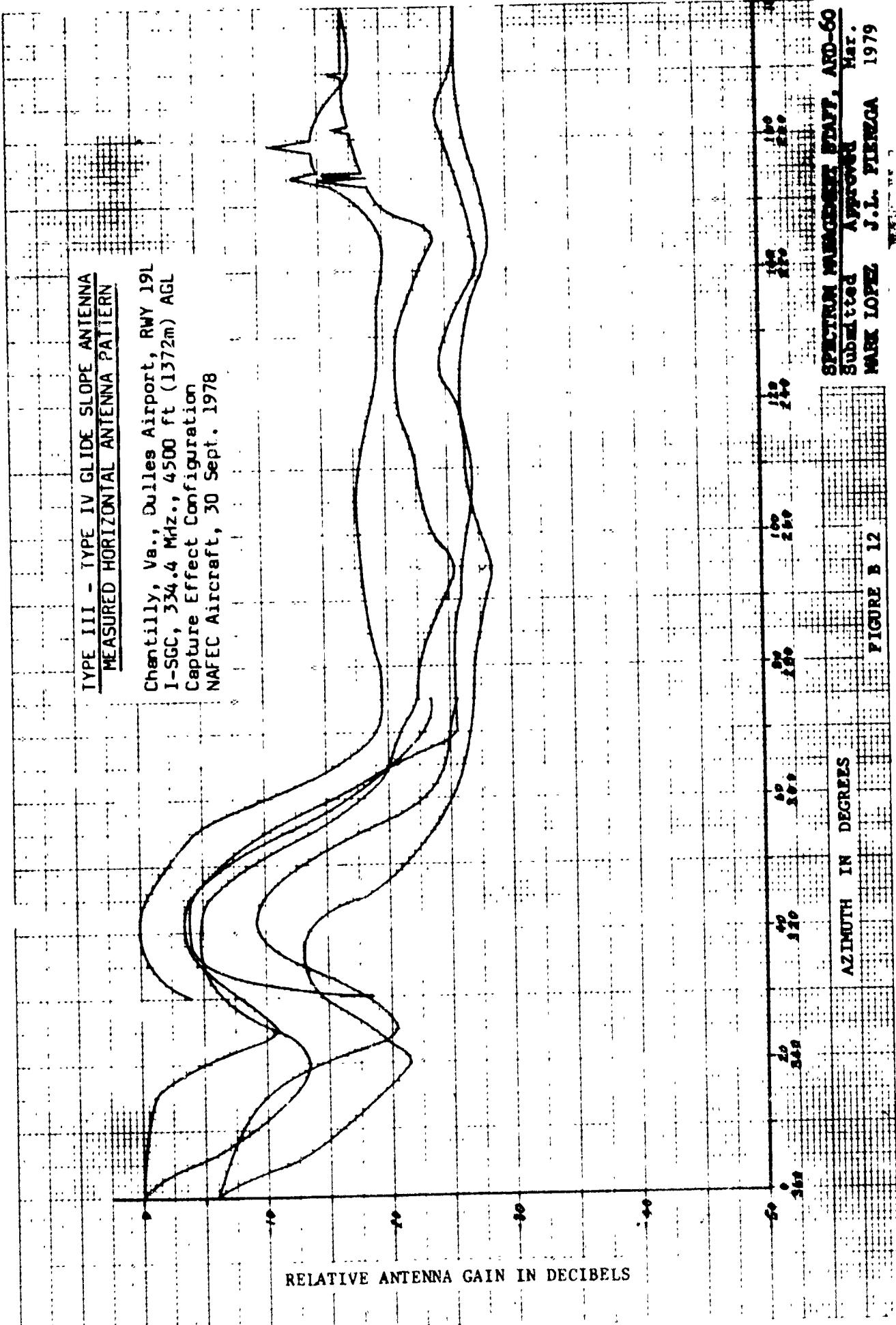
The only pattern available (Fig. E1) was taken from the test evaluation at Rock Springs, Wy. The frequency assignment pattern was chosen using this data and a conservative estimate of the systems off-course azimuthal pattern.

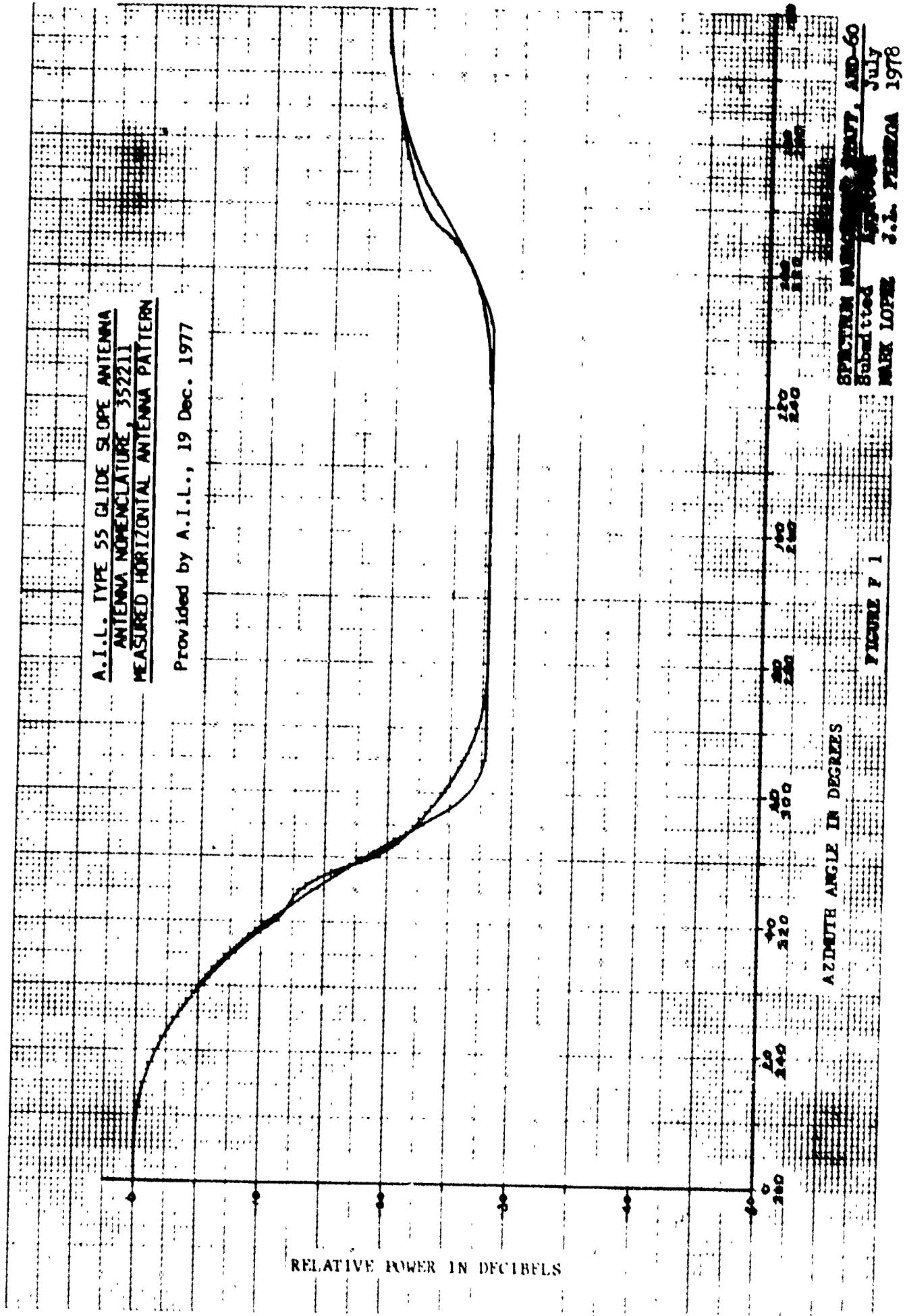


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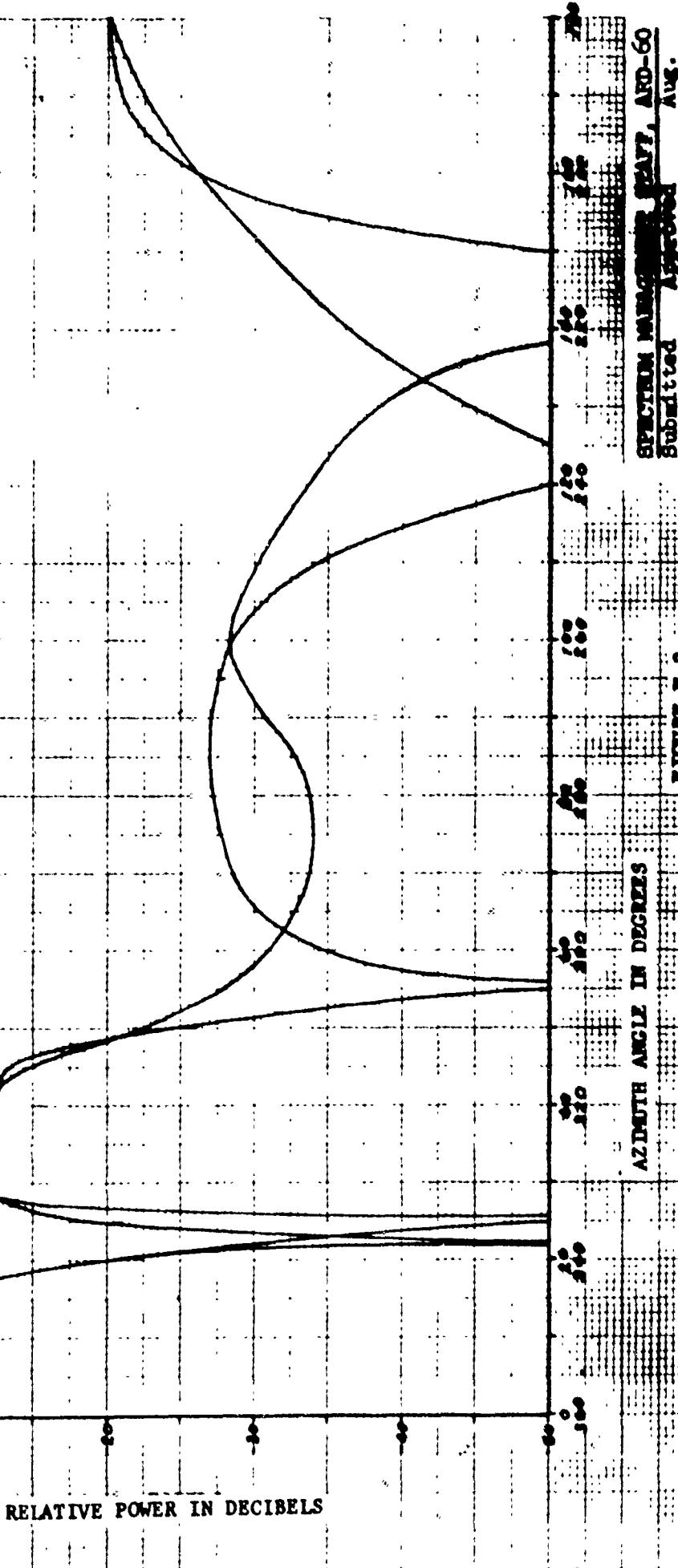
FIGURE E 1





TWO AIL TYPE 55 GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNAS SIDE BY SIDE
MEASURED HORIZONTAL RADIATION PATTERN

Two Antennas Placed Side by Side to Avoid
Reflections From Obstacles in the Near Field.
Pattern Provided to AFD-60 by AIL
December 19, 1977



SPECIUM MEASUREMENTS, PART, AFD-60
Submitted August 1978
MARK LOPEZ J.L. PIKEZA 1978

FIGURE P 2

APPENDIX G

FAA SPECIFICATIONS

In our search for glide slope antenna specifications, the following documents were found to be applicable:

FAA-E-2245. This document was originally published March 11, 1966. Three amendments, the most recent dating March 24, 1969, have been authorized. Seven types of antennas are described in this specification.

Type I - This antenna contains a single dipole mounted on an elliptical ground plane and completely enclosed in a radome. Its horizontal free space radiation pattern is shown in Figure G1.

Type II - Type II antennas are the same as Type I, except they are equipped with a heater system. Its antenna pattern is the same as the Type I.

Type III - This is an array of three Type I antennas grouped to provide azimuthal directivity. The curve in Figure G2 provides the horizontal free space pattern for the Type III and the Type IV antennas.

Type IV- This antenna is the same as a Type III antenna, except for the addition of heaters (Type II antenna elements). Its pattern is the same as the Type III.

Type V - This is an array of two dipoles mounted one quarter-wavelength from a vertical ground plane. The horizontal free space radiation patterns given in Figure G3.

Type VI - This is a single dipole identical to those comprising the Type V antenna, but utilizes a smaller ground plane. The nominal antenna pattern is to be defined by the contractor at the time that the initial equipment is submitted.

Type VII - This antenna consists of an array of two colinear dipoles mounted one quarter-wavelength from a parabolic ground plane. Figure G4 provides the horizontal free space pattern requirements.

This specification (FAA-E-2245) covers most glide slope antennas in use today. Type III and Type IV antennas are the most abundant.

FAA-E-2429. This specification, dated January 2, 1970, is used in purchasing new image-type glide slope antenna systems. Both class 1 (null reference) and class 2 (capture effect) systems are covered. The sideband reference system is a modified version of the null reference system (Section 1.1, FAA-E-2557, April 2, 1973) and must meet the same horizontal pattern requirements.

This document does not differentiate between antenna types or element numbers, but rather sets general antenna array requirements. The antenna array is defined as "single or multiple horizontally polarized elements..." Thus, whether the antennas are in the null reference, sideband reference, or capture effect configuration, the same horizontal radiation pattern will be required by the specification.

The lower limit of this specification was modified in the contract specification FA74WA-3364. Measured data indicates that this requirement is difficult to meet, even for the antennas built under this contract (Figs.

B9 and B10).

The end-fire slotted cable and the waveguide glide slope antennas are still under development. Consequently, there are no current FAA specifications which apply to these non-image type antenna systems.

**TYPE I AND TYPE II GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNA
HORIZONTAL RADIATION PATTERN REQUIREMENTS
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION SPECIFICATION**

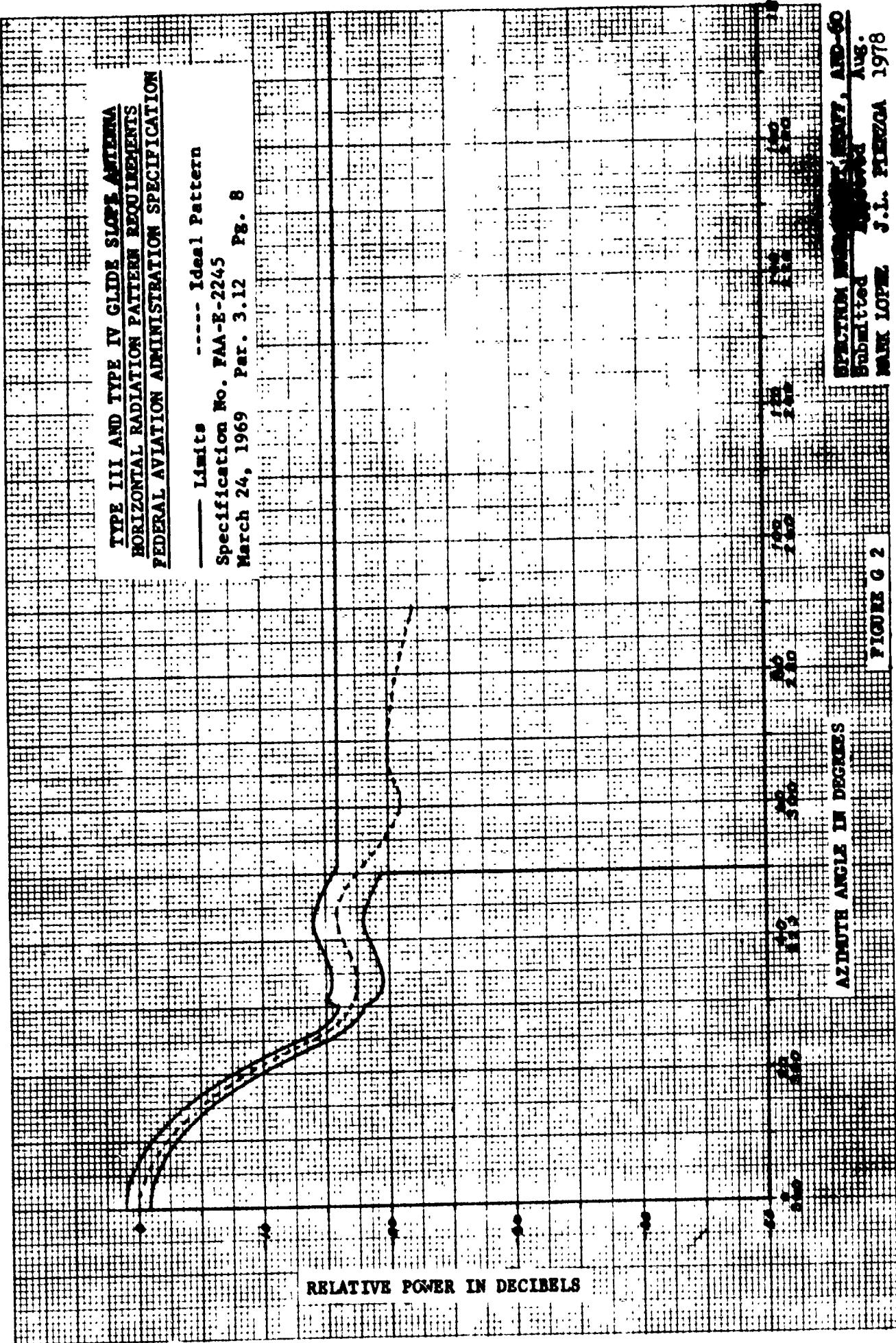
— Limits ----- Ideal Pattern

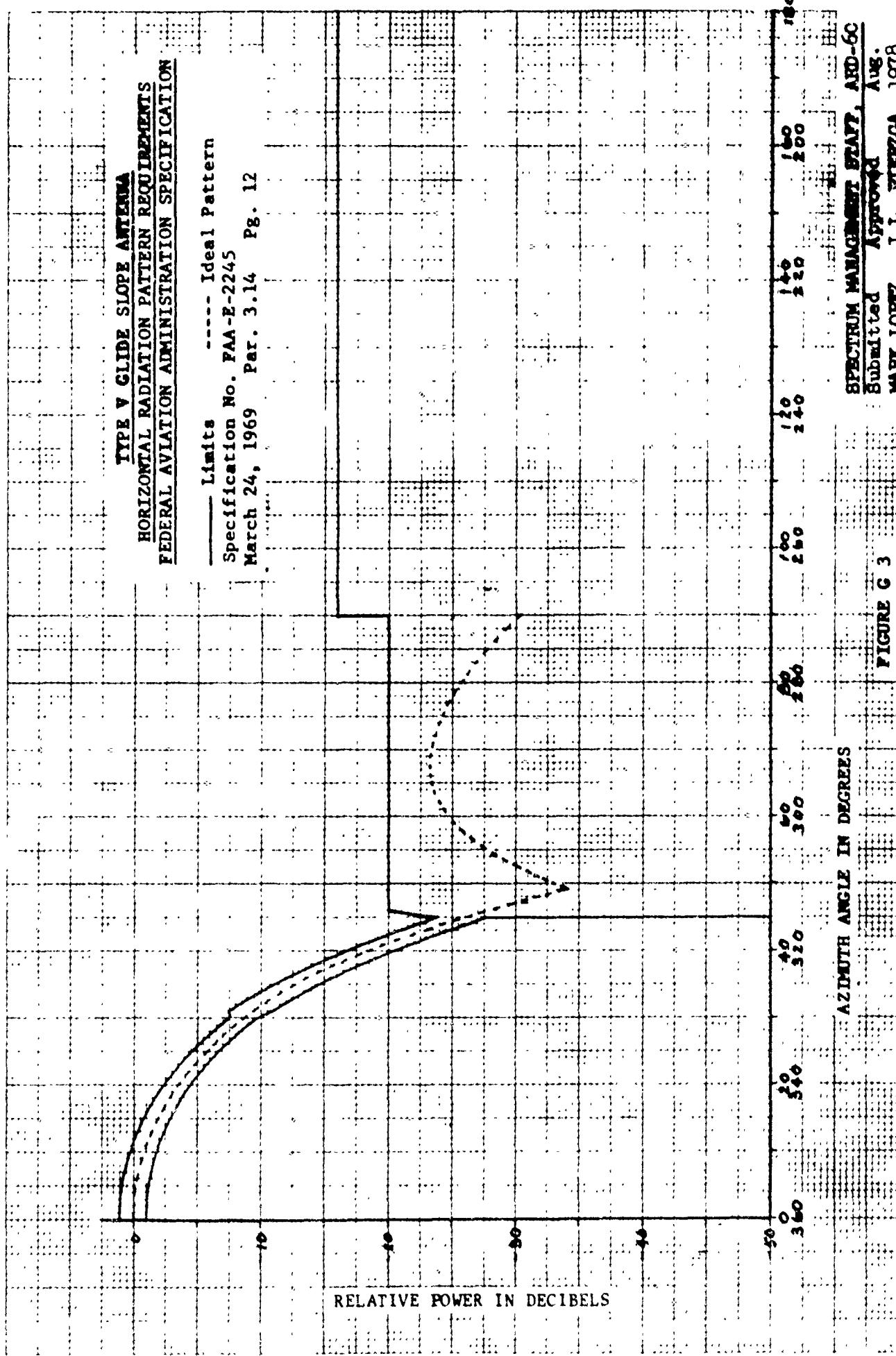
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March 24, 1969 Par. 3.10 Pg. 3

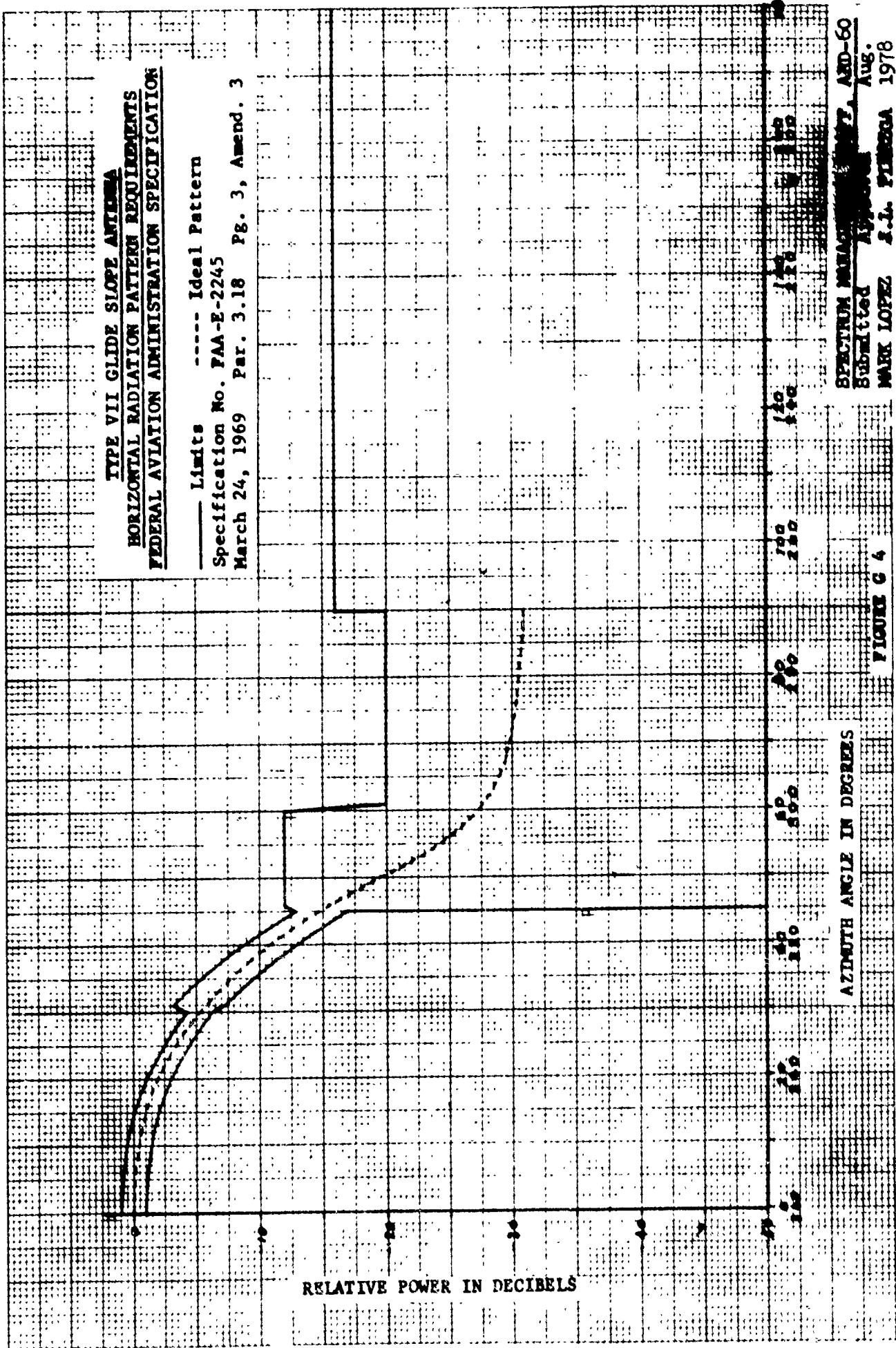
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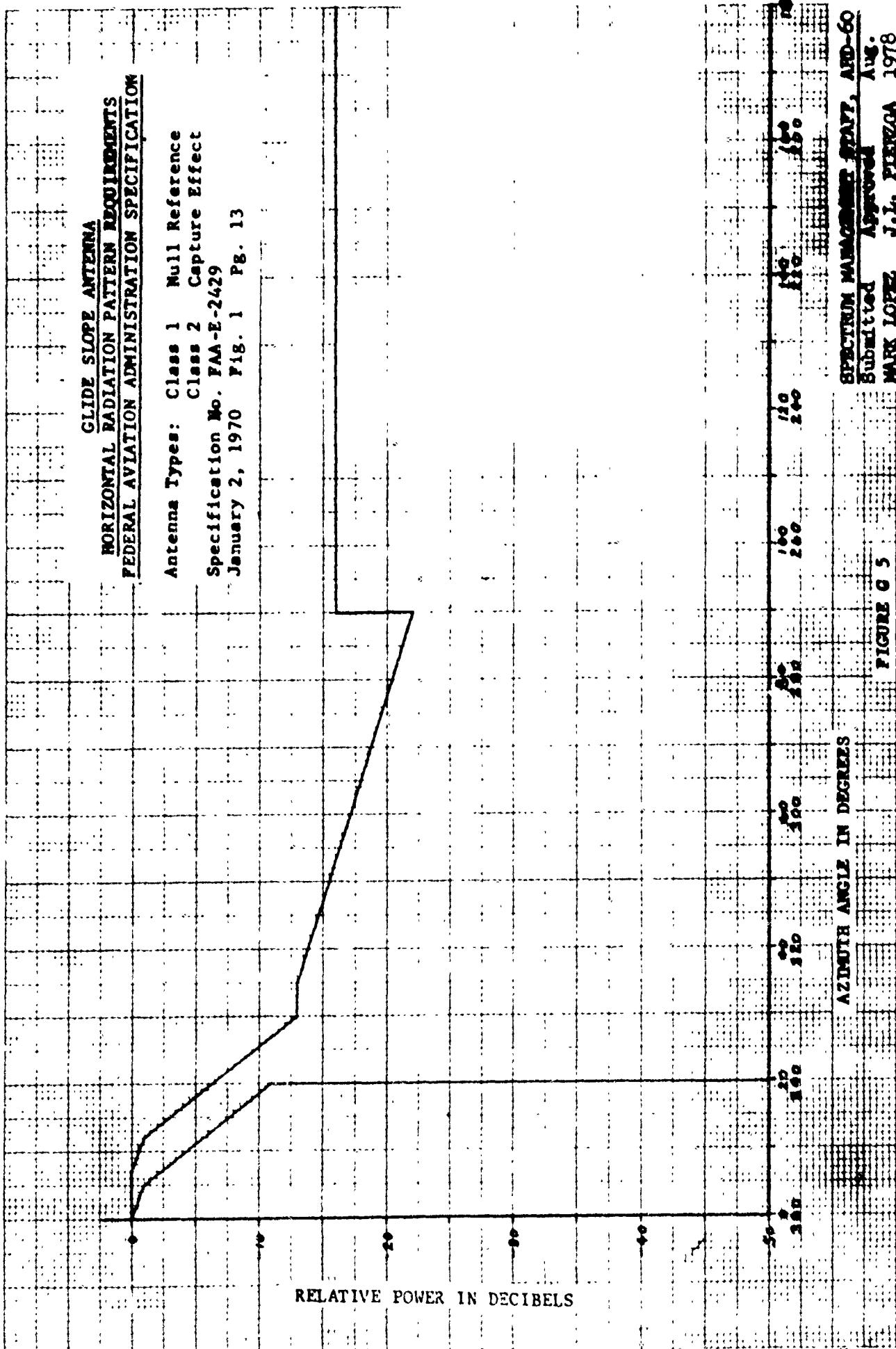
AZIMUTH ANGLE IN DEGREES

FIGURE C 1
SPECIFICATION FOR TYPE I AND TYPE II
Horizontal Radiation Pattern Requirements
Submitted by J.L. PIRESA Sept. 1978
Mark LOPIS



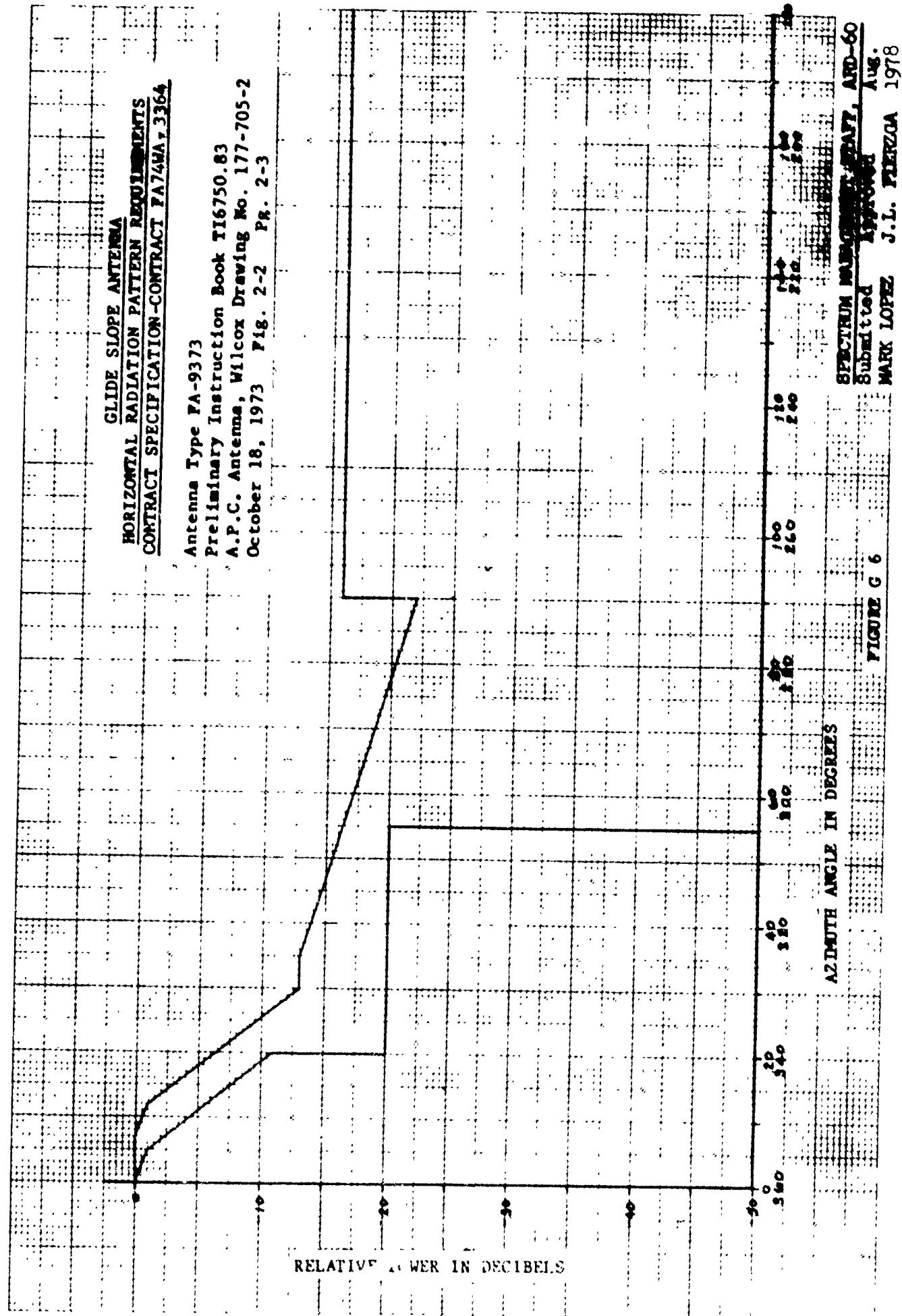






SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT STAFF, ARD-60
 Submitted **Approved** **Avg.**
 MARK LOPEZ J.L. PIENZA 1978

FIGURE C 5



APPENDIX H

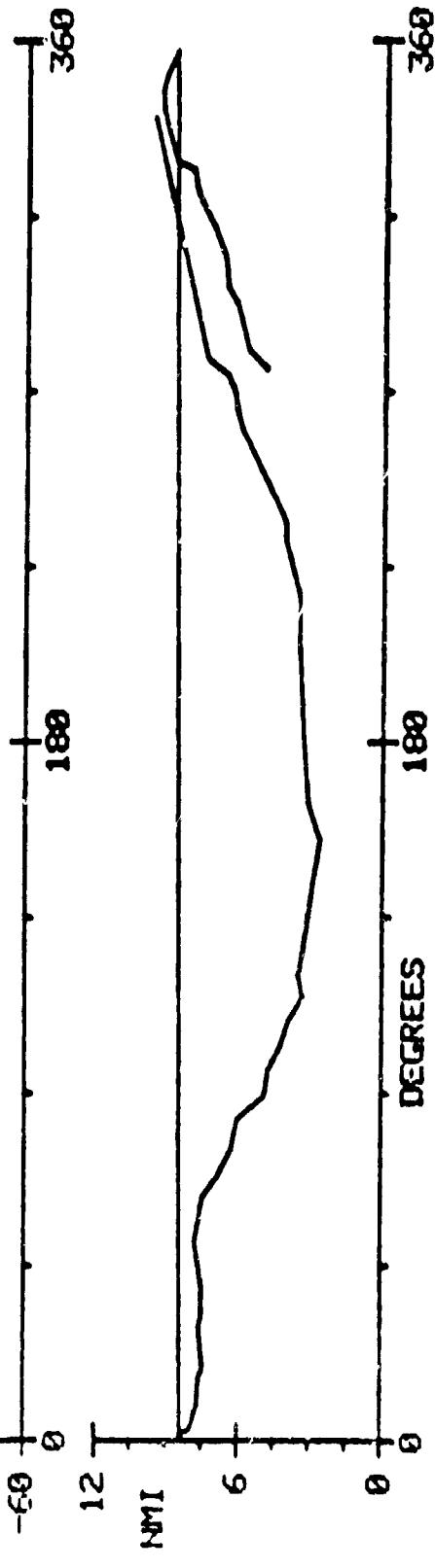
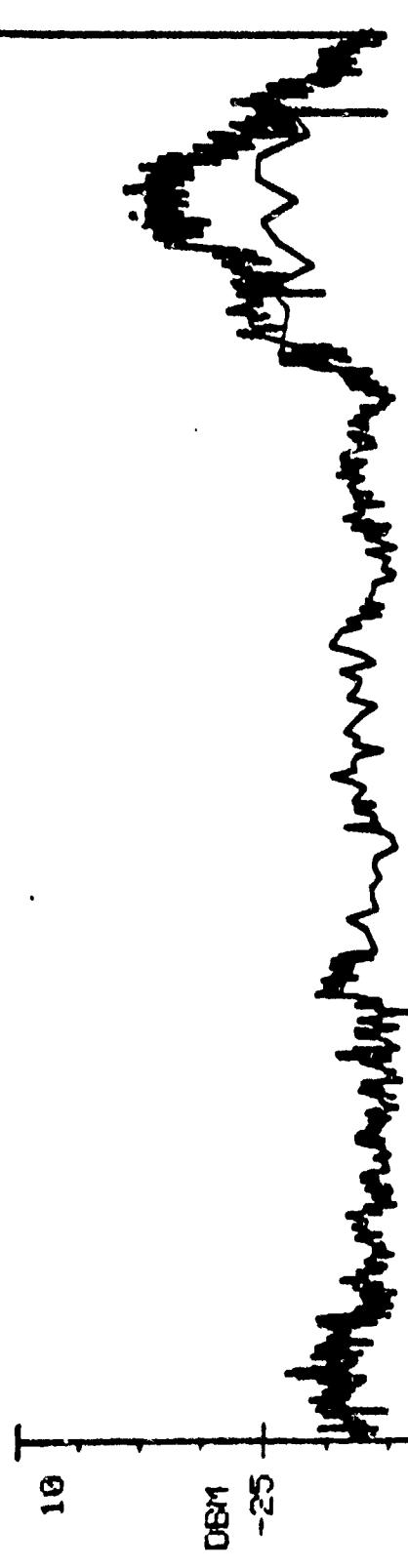
DATA OBTAINED FROM NAFEC

This section contains copies of the raw data collected by NAFEC. The following list shows the type of antenna elements are used in each antenna.

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>FIGURE NO.</u>	<u>SYSTEM TYPE</u>	<u>ELEMENT TYPE</u>
Allentown, Pa.	B9	NR	III or IV
Allegheny Co., Pa.	B14	NR	III or IV
Reading, Pa.	B15	NR	III or IV
Hagerstown, Md.	B10	SBR	III or IV
Dulles, Va.	B12	CE	III or IV
Trenton, N.J.	A4	SBR	I or II
Atlantic City, N.J.	C5	CE	Two-Lambda
Gr. Pittsburgh, Pa.	C6	CE	Two-Lambda

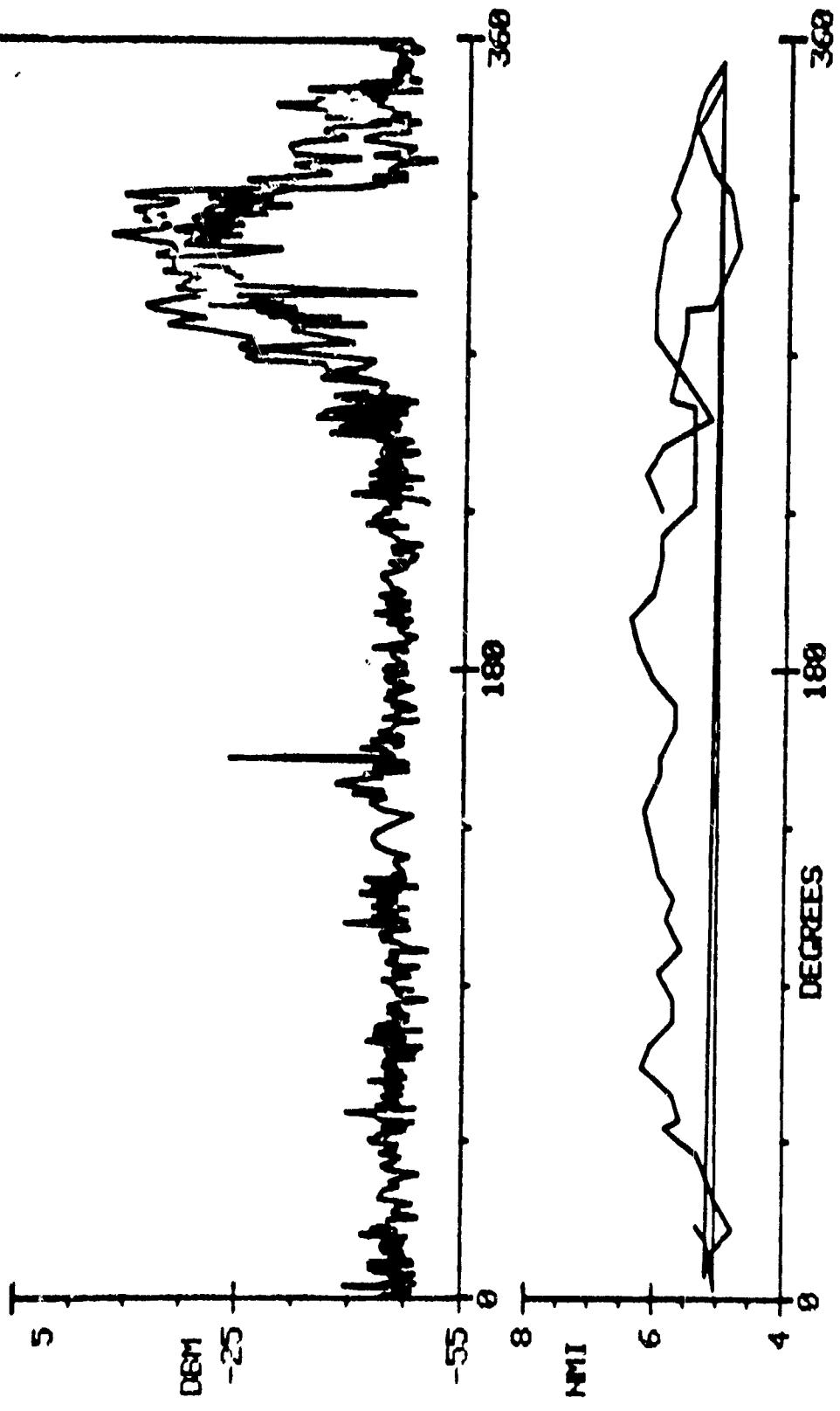
Data from the Allentown glide slope is the only antenna pattern replotted in detail. In order to save time, the remaining antenna patterns were replotted using lines to outline the maximum and minimum limits of the data. Should detailed information be desired on a particular antenna pattern, it is available in this appendix.

The data taken at Johnstown, Pa. has not been replotted. This glide slope system was shut down just prior to when the test orbit was flown. The data is no more than the ambient noise level.

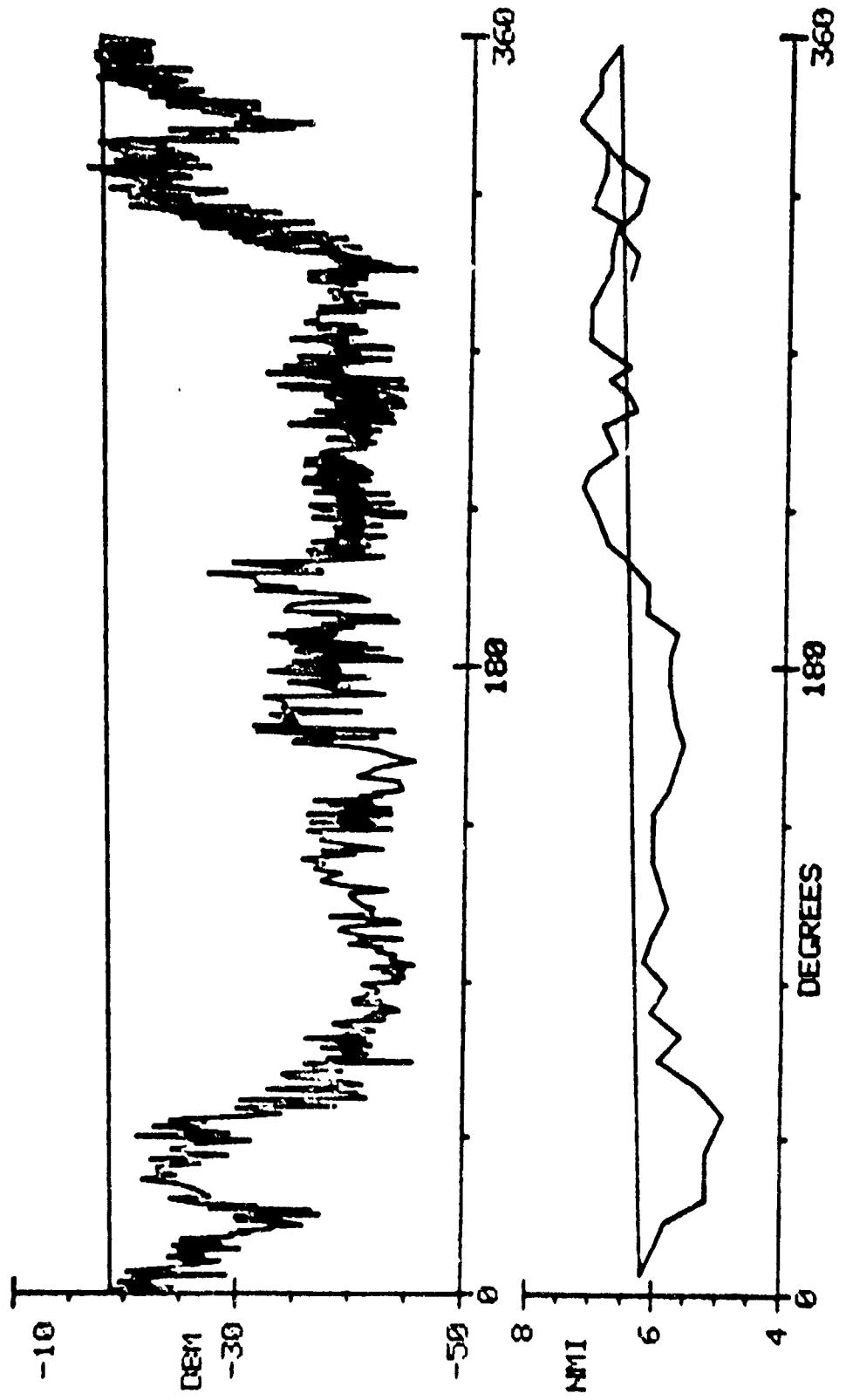


FREQUENCY 3.31100E+03 HZ
 SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV= 50000 HZ GAIN=1000000
 FLIGHT NO. 10 ALTITUDE=4500 FEET
 MAX PTS. IN PLOT= 590 START OF 340, END OF 276 DEGREES

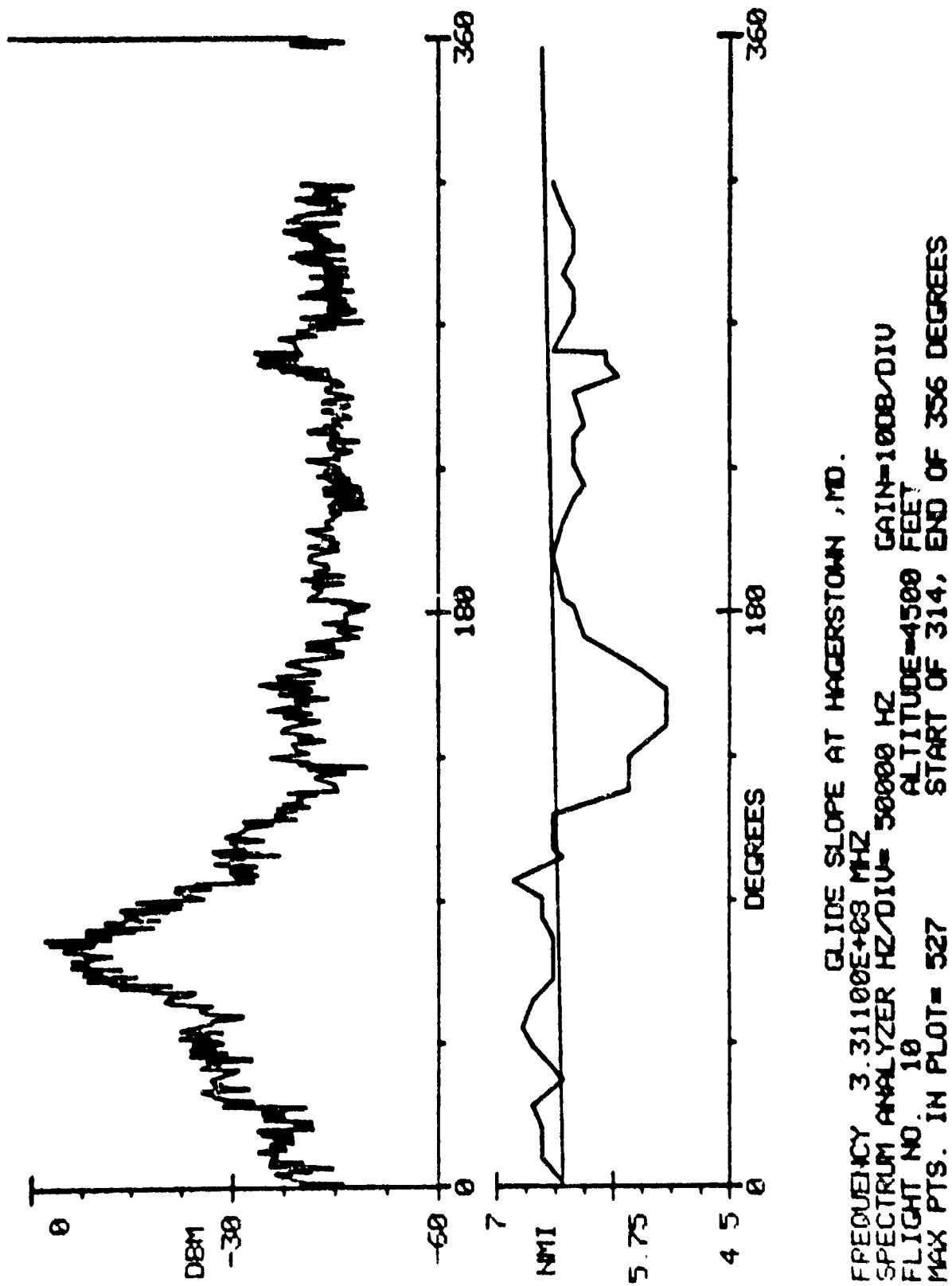
FIGURE H 1



GLIDE SLOPE AT ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY
 FREQUENCY $3 \cdot 314e^{2e+08} \text{ Hz}$
 SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV = 50000 Hz GAIN = 10000 DIV
 FLIGHT NO 1 ALTITUDE = 4000 FEET START OF 21, END OF 225 DEGREES
 MAX PTS. IN PLOT = 736 FIGURE H 2

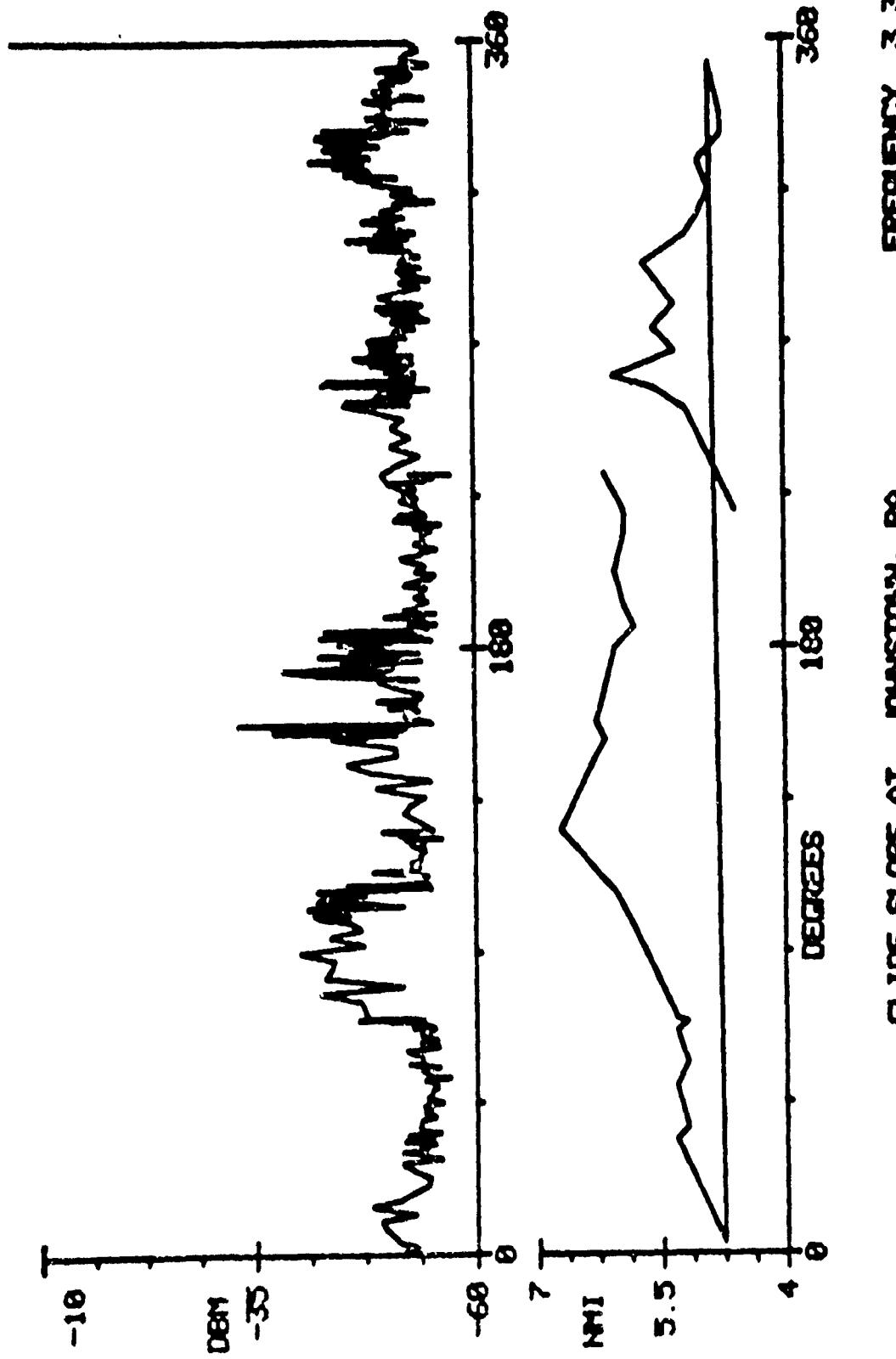


GLIDE SLOPE
 GLIDE SLOPE AT DULLES, GLIDE SLOPE, $\Delta\alpha$.
 FREQUENCY 3.344005+08 MHZ
 SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV= 50000 HZ GAIN=10000 DIV
 FLIGHT NO. 11 ALTITUDE=4500 FEET
 MAX PTS. IN PLOT= 637 START OF 329, END OF 291 DEGREES
 FIGURE H 3



FREQUENCY 11000 KHZ DOWNSCALE 300000 HZ DOWNSCALE GAIN 100000
SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV 50000 FEET
ALTITUDE 4500 START OF 314, END OF 356 DEGREES
FLIGHT NO. 10
MAX PTS. IN PLOT = 527

FIGURE H 4

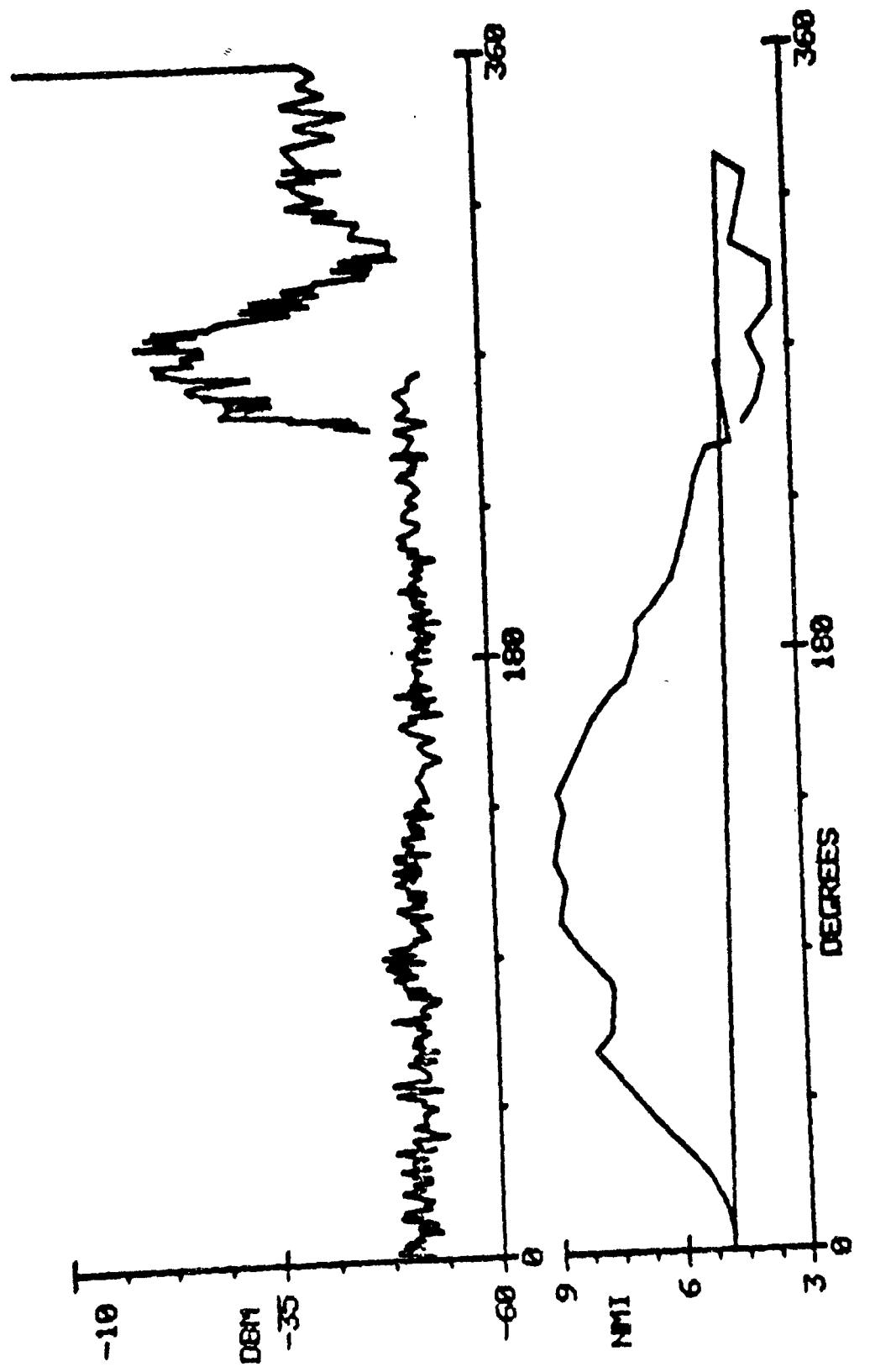


FREQUENCY 3.3

GLIDE SLOPE AT JOHNSTOWN, PA.

4488E+08 HZ
SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV = 50000 HZ GAIN=1003/DIV
FLIGHT NO 33 ALTITUDE=4528 FEET
START OF 231, END OF 228 DEGREES
MAX PTS. IN PLOT = 493

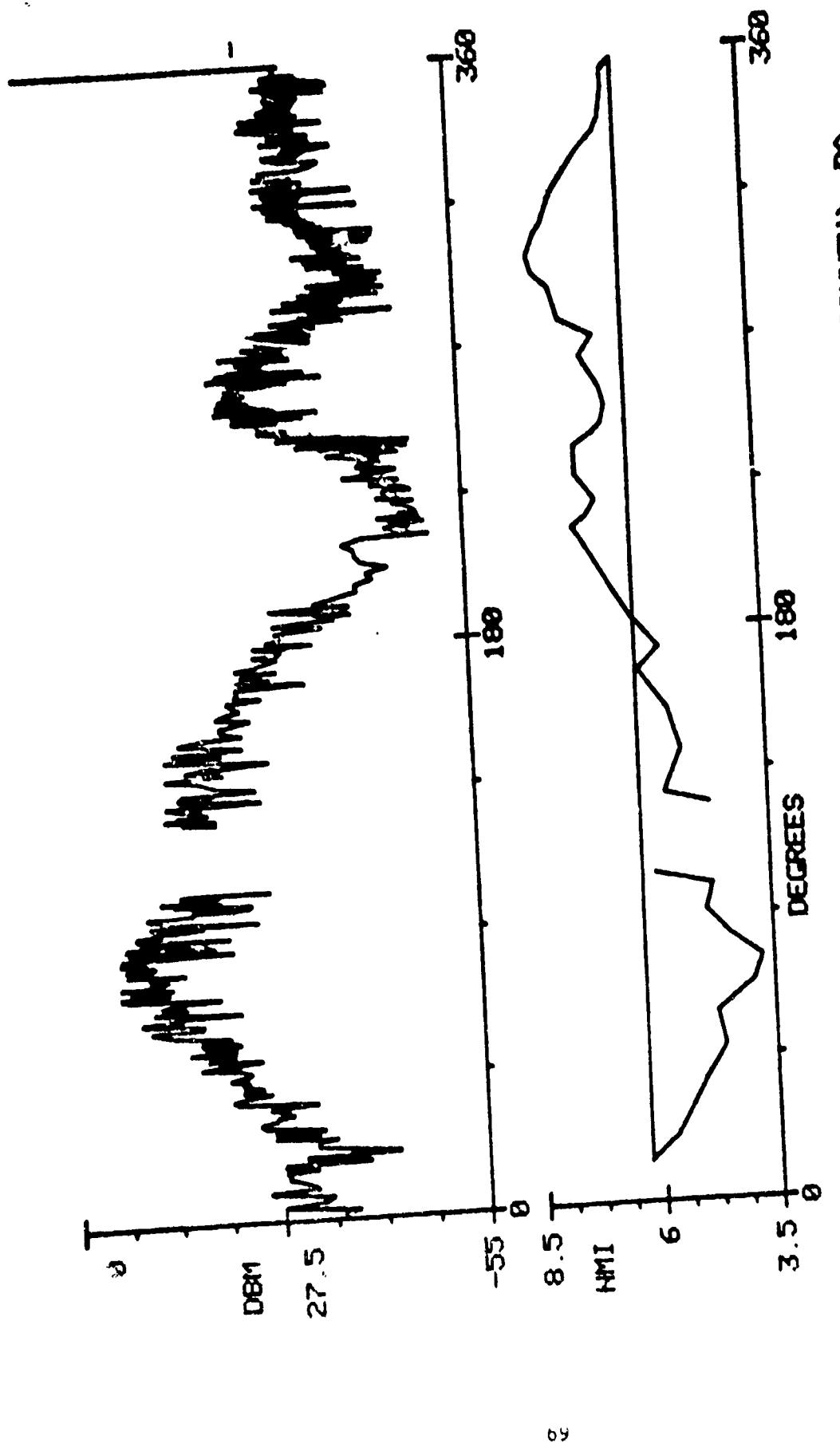
FIGURE H 5



GLIDE SLOPE AT GREATER PITTSBURG, PA. FREQUENCY 3.3

3500 DEG+08 HZ
SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV= 50000 HZ GAIN=1000 VOLU
FLIGHT NO. 34 ALTITUDE=4500 FEET
START OF 265, END OF 247 DEGREES
MAX PTS. IN PLOT= 450

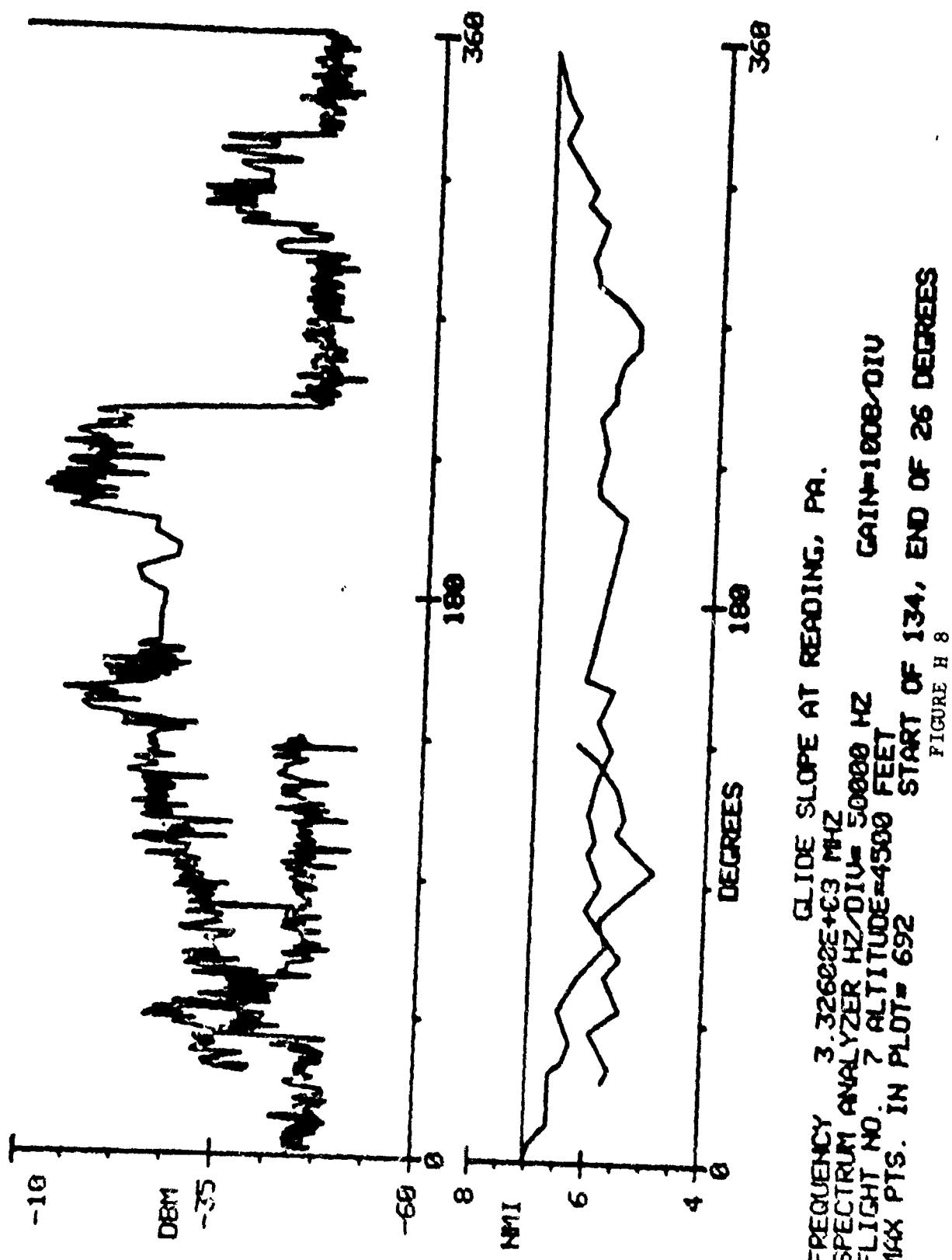
FIGURE H 6

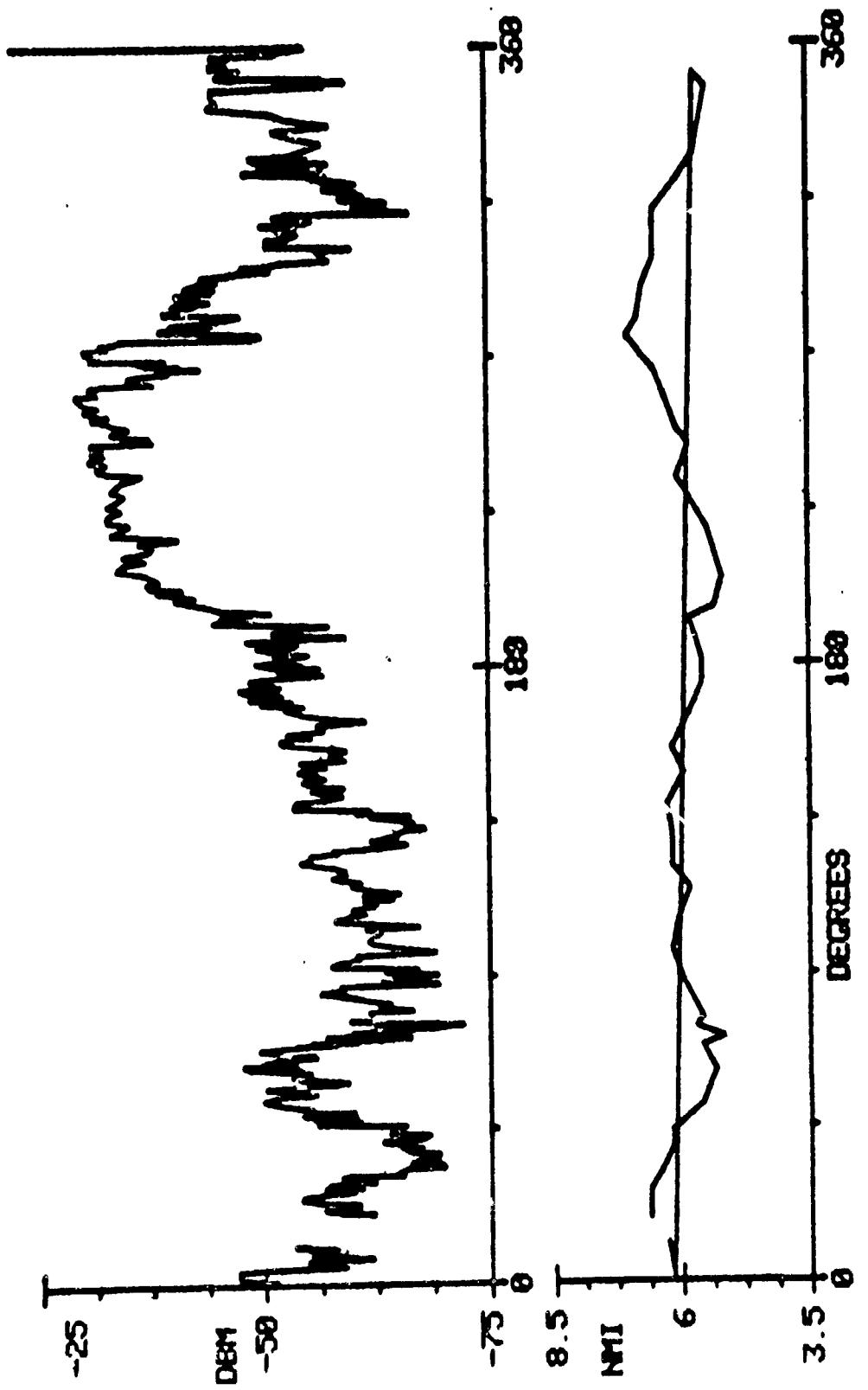


GLIDE SLOPE AT PITTSBURG (ALLEGHENY COUNTY), PA.

FREQUENCY 3.31408E+08 HZ
SPECTRUM ANALYZER HZ/DIV 30000 HZ
FLIGHT NO. 33 ALTITUDE=4500 FEET
MAX PTS. IN PLOT= 527 START OF 103, END OF 124 DEGREES

FIGURE H 7





FREQUENCY 3.3

GLIDE SLOPE AT TRENTON, N.J.

CALLSIGN 010

2200E+68

HZ

SPEC

ANALYZER

HZ

50000

HZ

NO

FLIGHT

2

ALTITUDE

4500

FEET

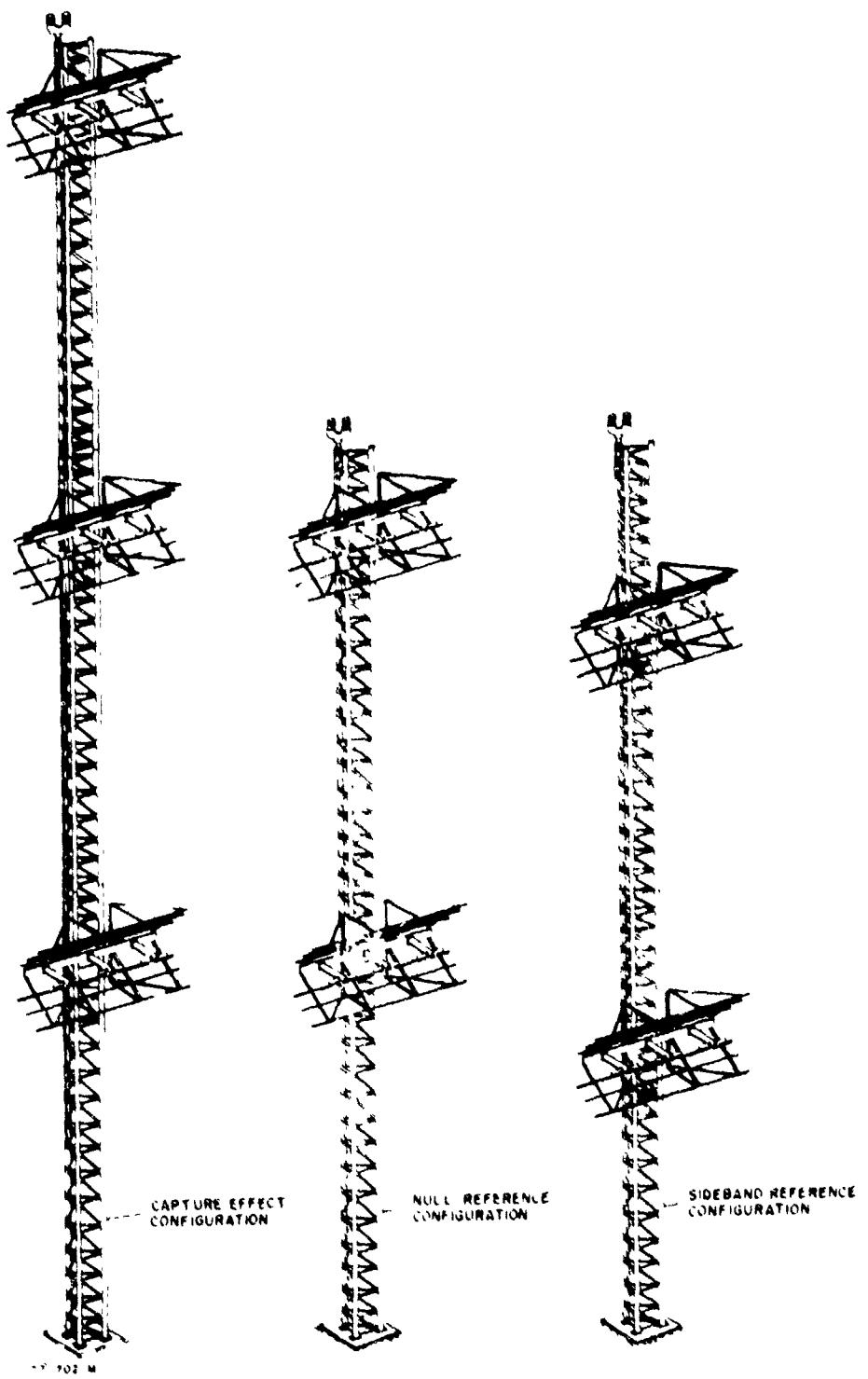
START OF 11, END OF 19 DEGREES

FIGURE H 9

APPENDIX I

PICTURES OF ILS GLIDE SLOPE ANTENNAS

Different types of glide slope antennas have different antenna patterns. Consideration of these differences may be desirable in the frequency assignment process. Consideration requires knowledge of the desired and undesired stations' antenna types. FAA sector offices provide this information to the Electromagnetic Compatibility Analysis Center (ECAC). FAA has an interagency agreement with ECAC. The FAA provides to ECAC data on telecommunication systems. ECAC does the record keeping and provides to FAA computer printouts upon request. For the frequency assignment process, the Frequency Management Officer (FMO) may choose to use the ECAC records or he may contact the FAA sector offices directly. In either case, the identification of the antenna type comes from the FAA sector maintenance office. Since this is the case, sector personnel should be capable of identifying the different antenna types. With the many different glide slope antenna types, this can be a difficult assignment. FAA type numbers are helpful but they have not been assigned to all antenna types. In many cases, visual identification is essential. Since, to our knowledge no single FAA publication shows all glide slope antenna types, this appendix has been an attempt to do that.



Conventional glide slope Antenna System Configurations

FIGURE I-1

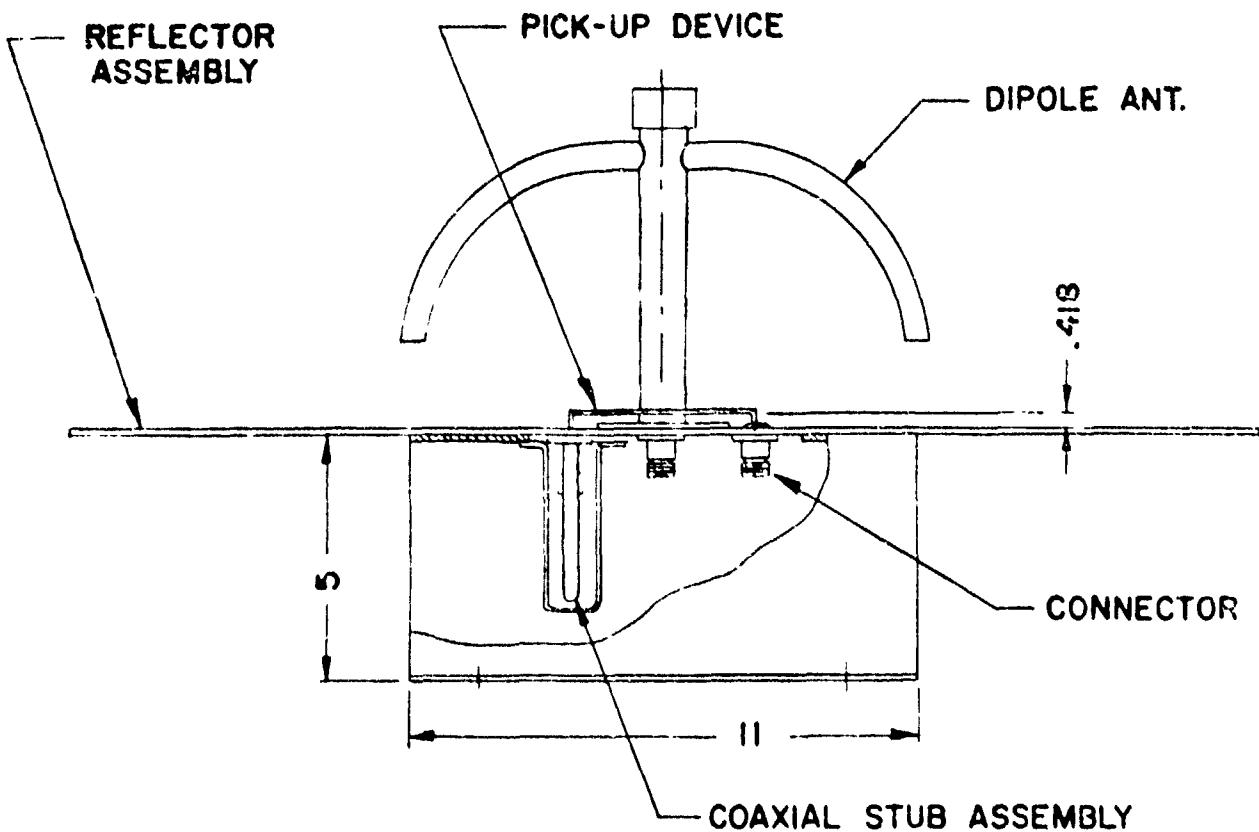


FIGURE I 2
Type I Antenna With Pick-Up Device
Antenna Type FA-8090

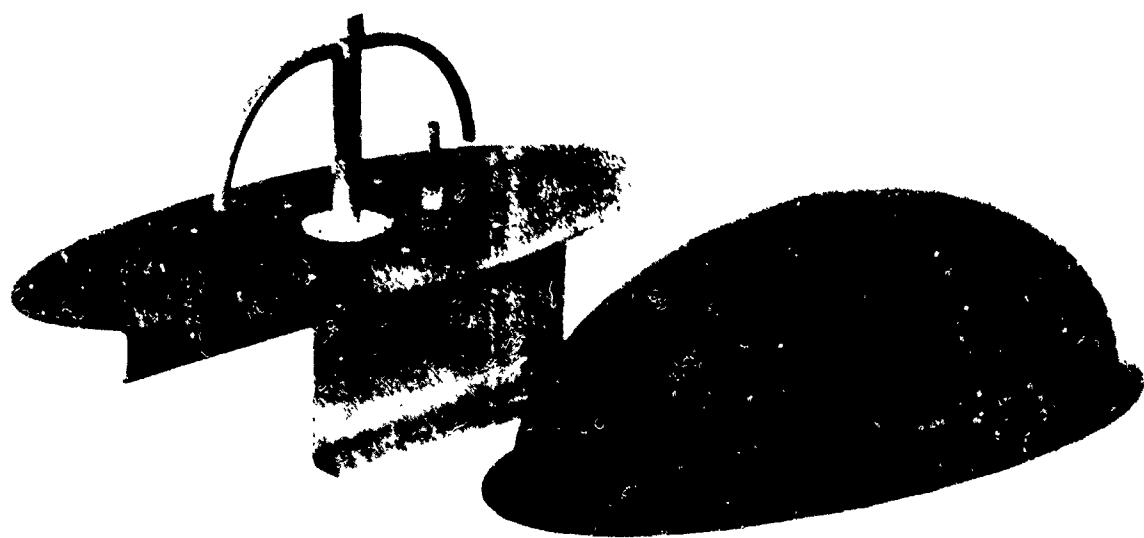
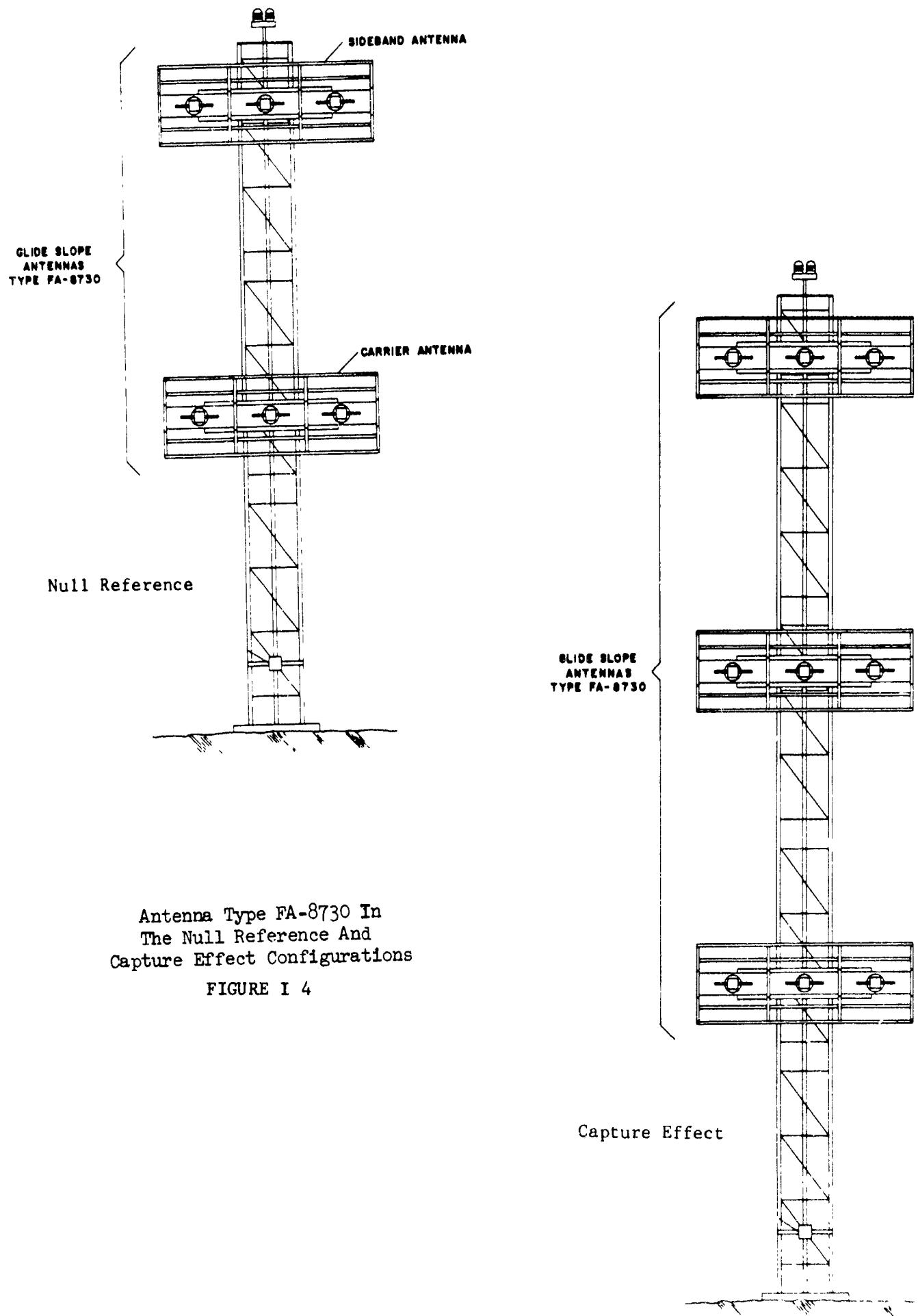
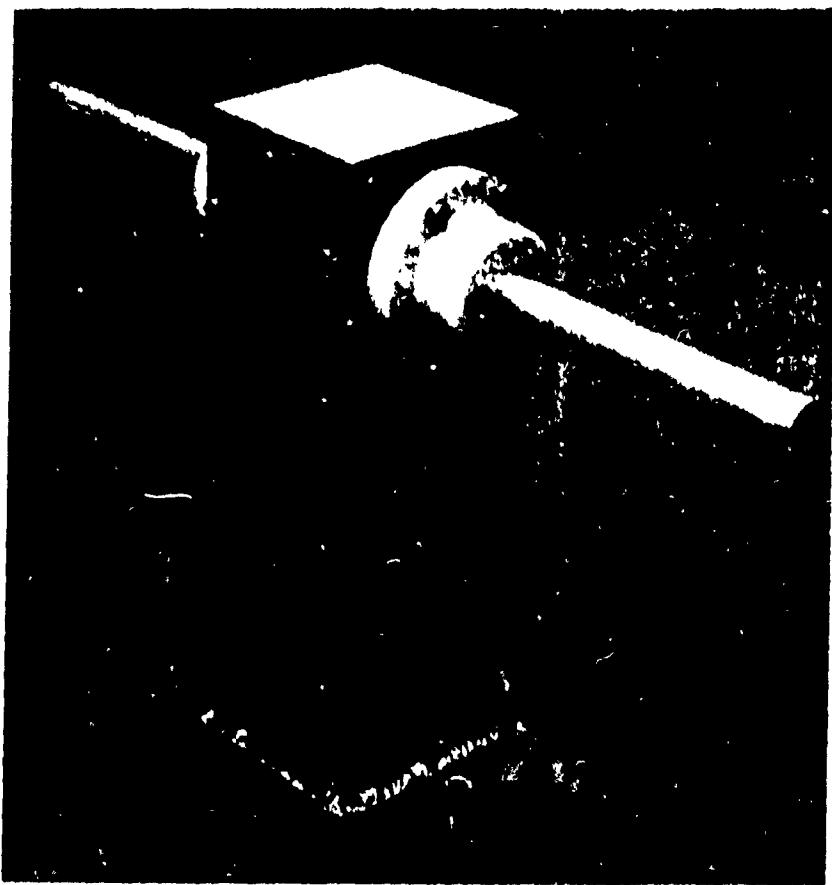


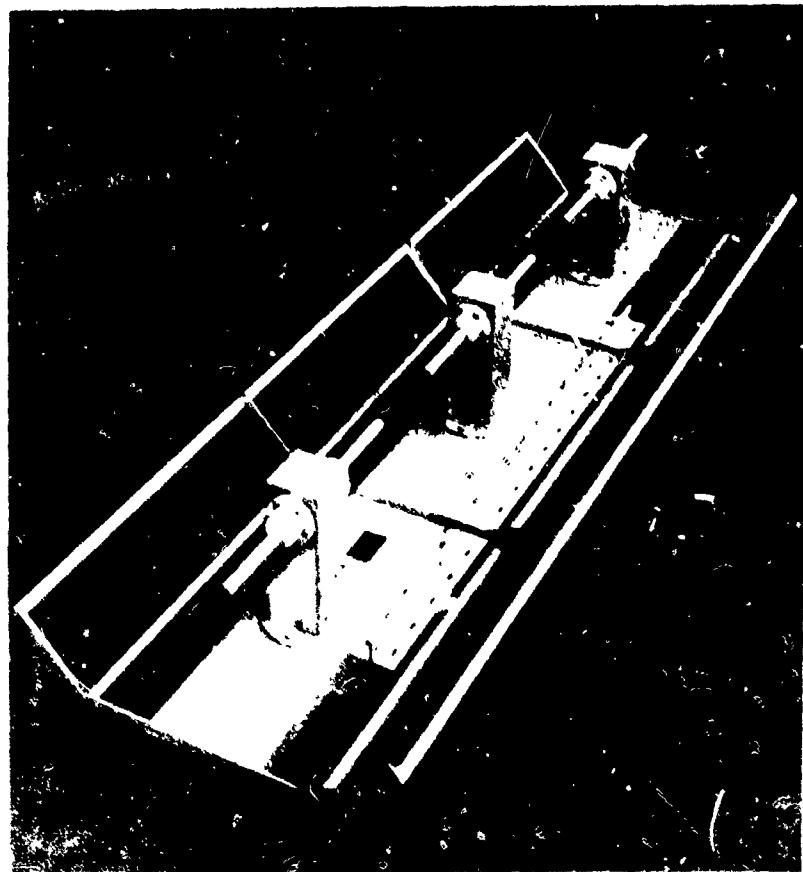
FIGURE I 3
Type I Antenna With Radiore Removed
Antenna Type FA-8091





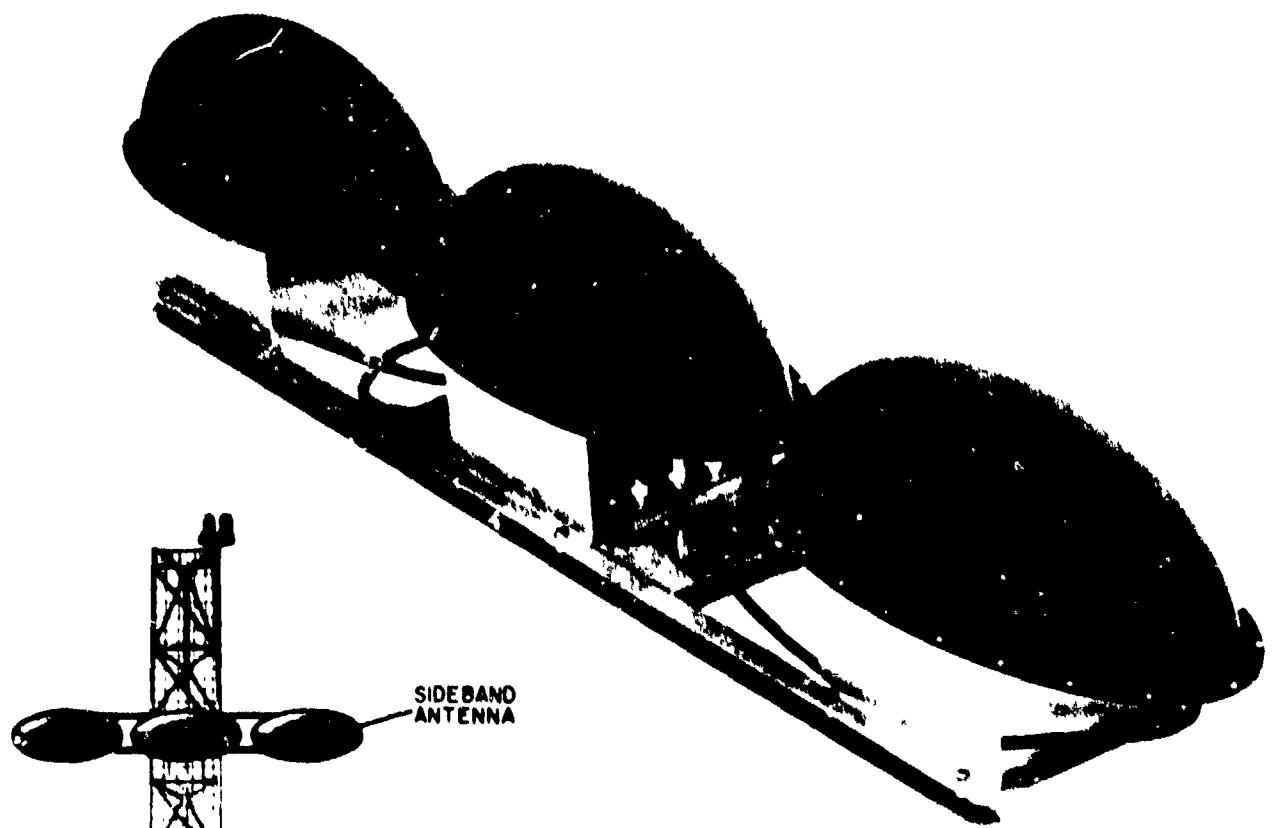
Dipole For Antenna Type FA-8730

FIGURE I 5



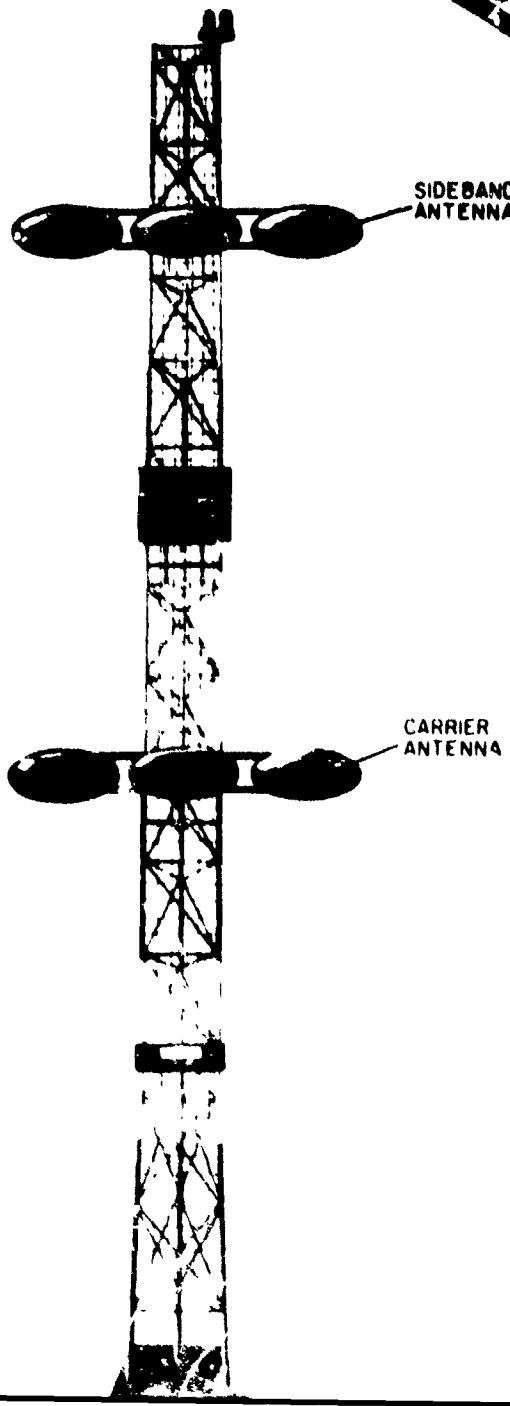
Type IV Antenna Without Radomes
Antenna Type FA-8730

FIGURE I 6



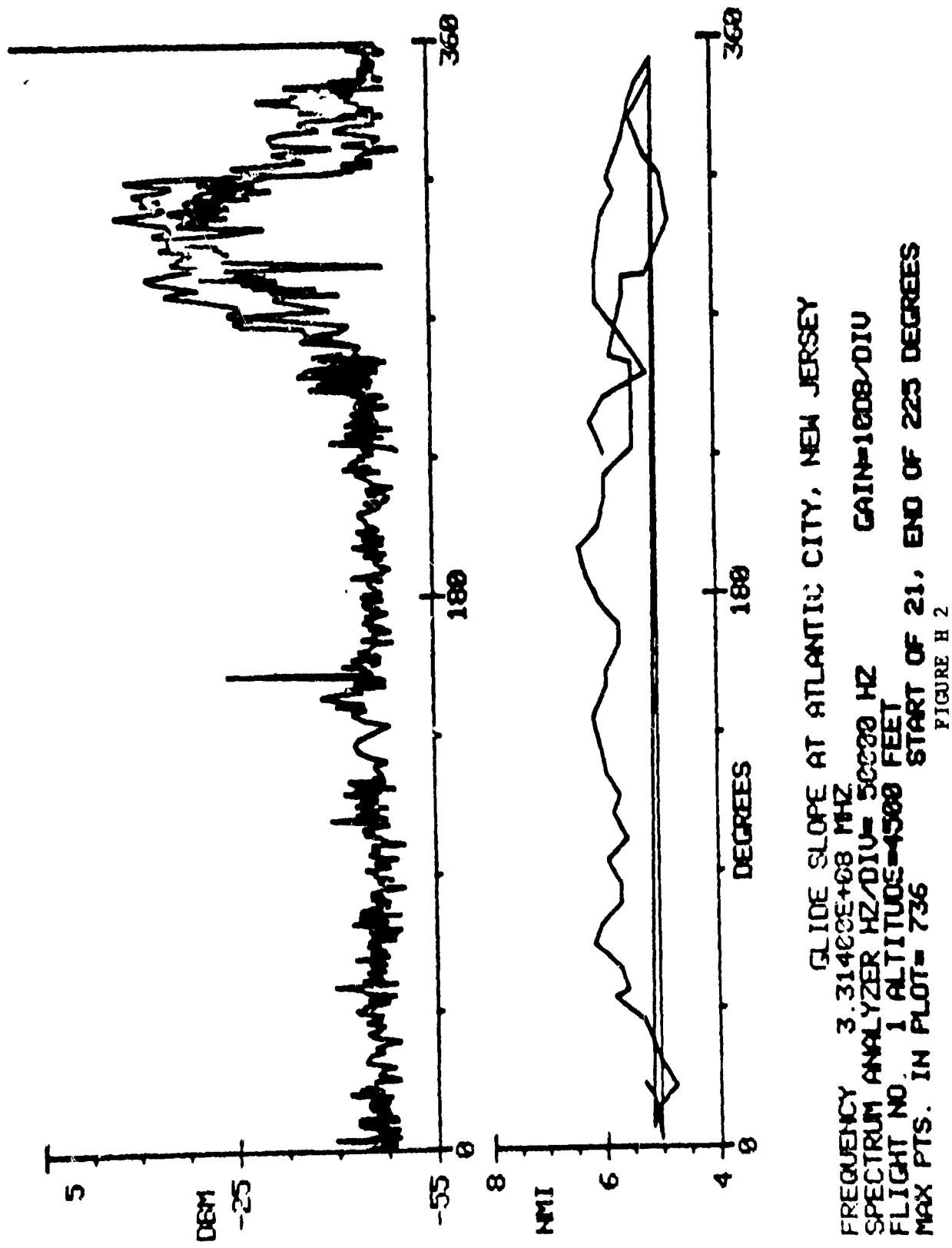
Type III Antenna With Radomes
Antenna Type FA-8021

FIGURE I-7



Type III Antenna In The Null
Reference Configuration

FIGURE I-8



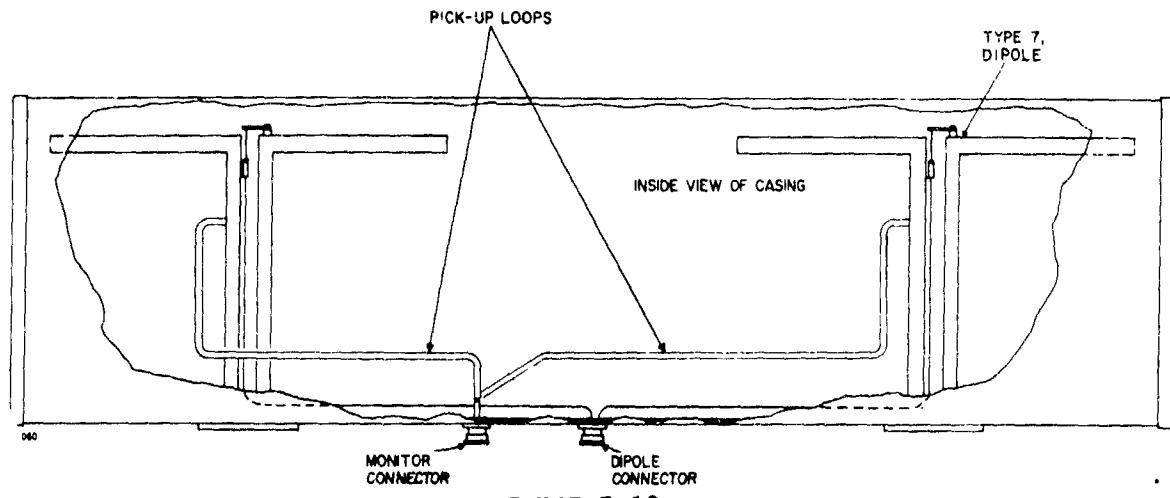


FIGURE I 10
Inside View Of The Casing For The
AIL Type 55 Glide Slope Antenna Element

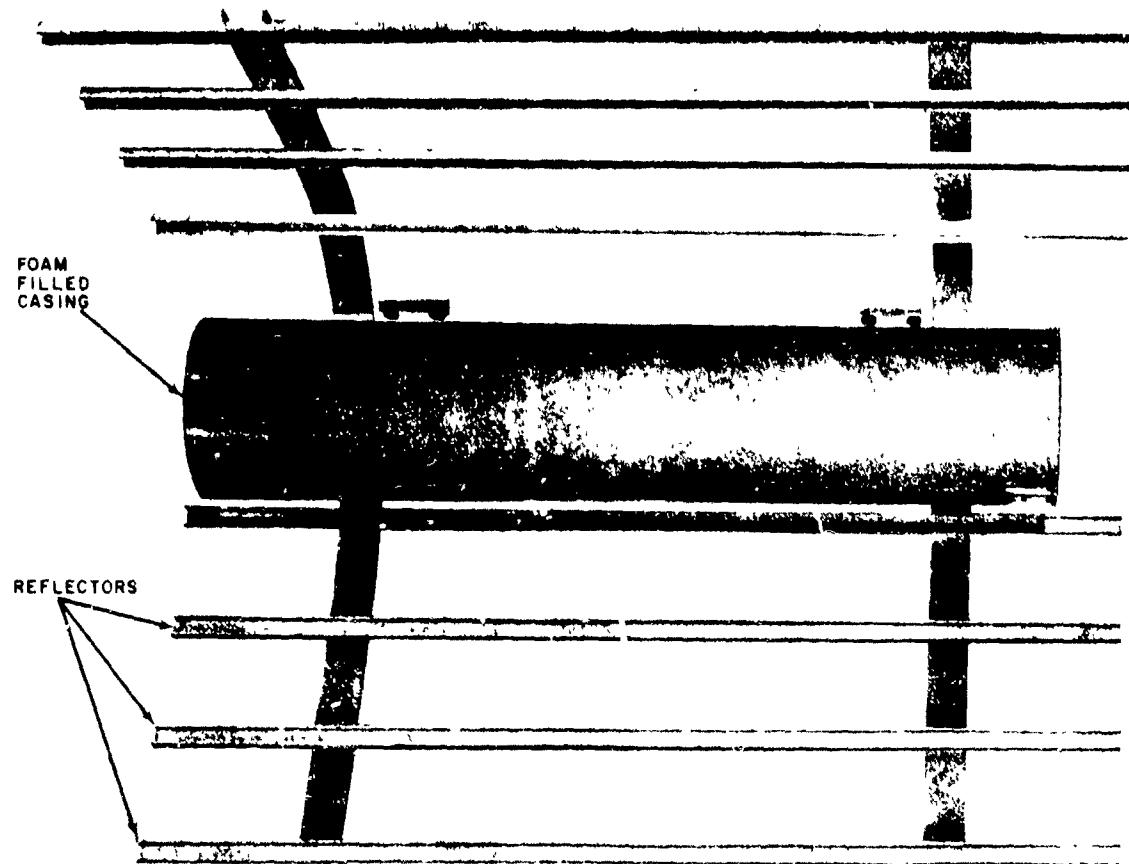
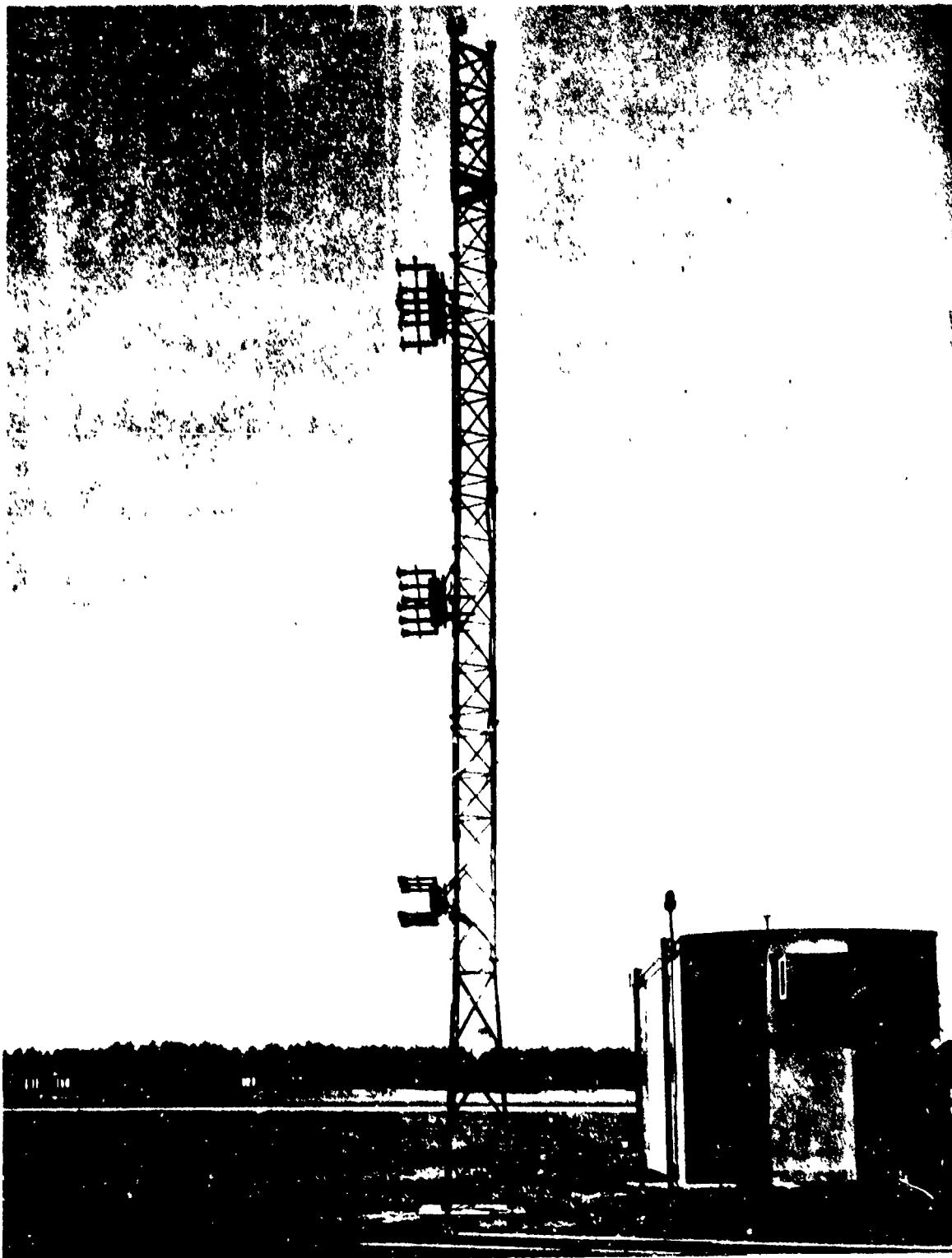
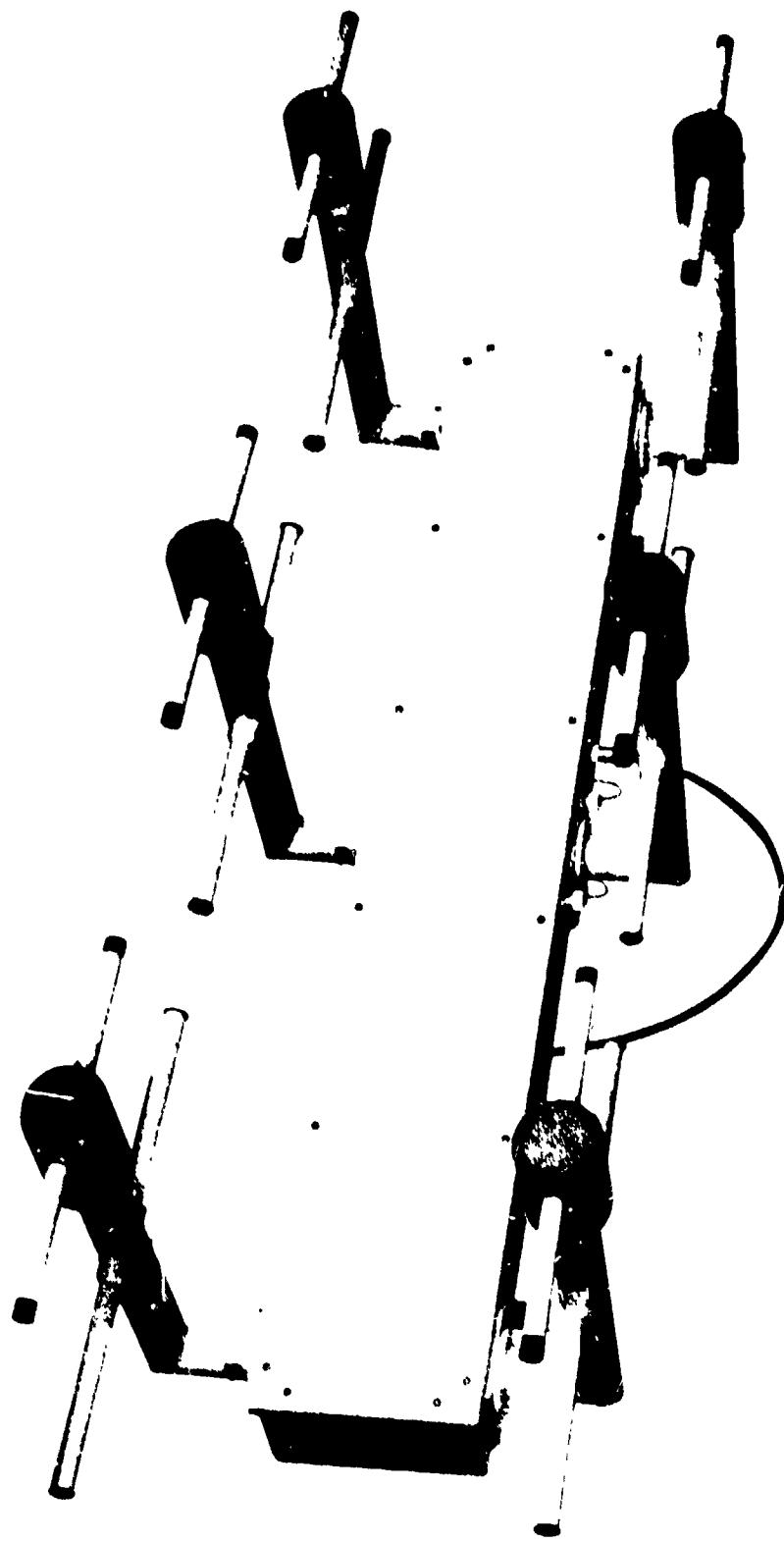


FIGURE I 11
AIL Type 55 Glide Slope Antenna Element



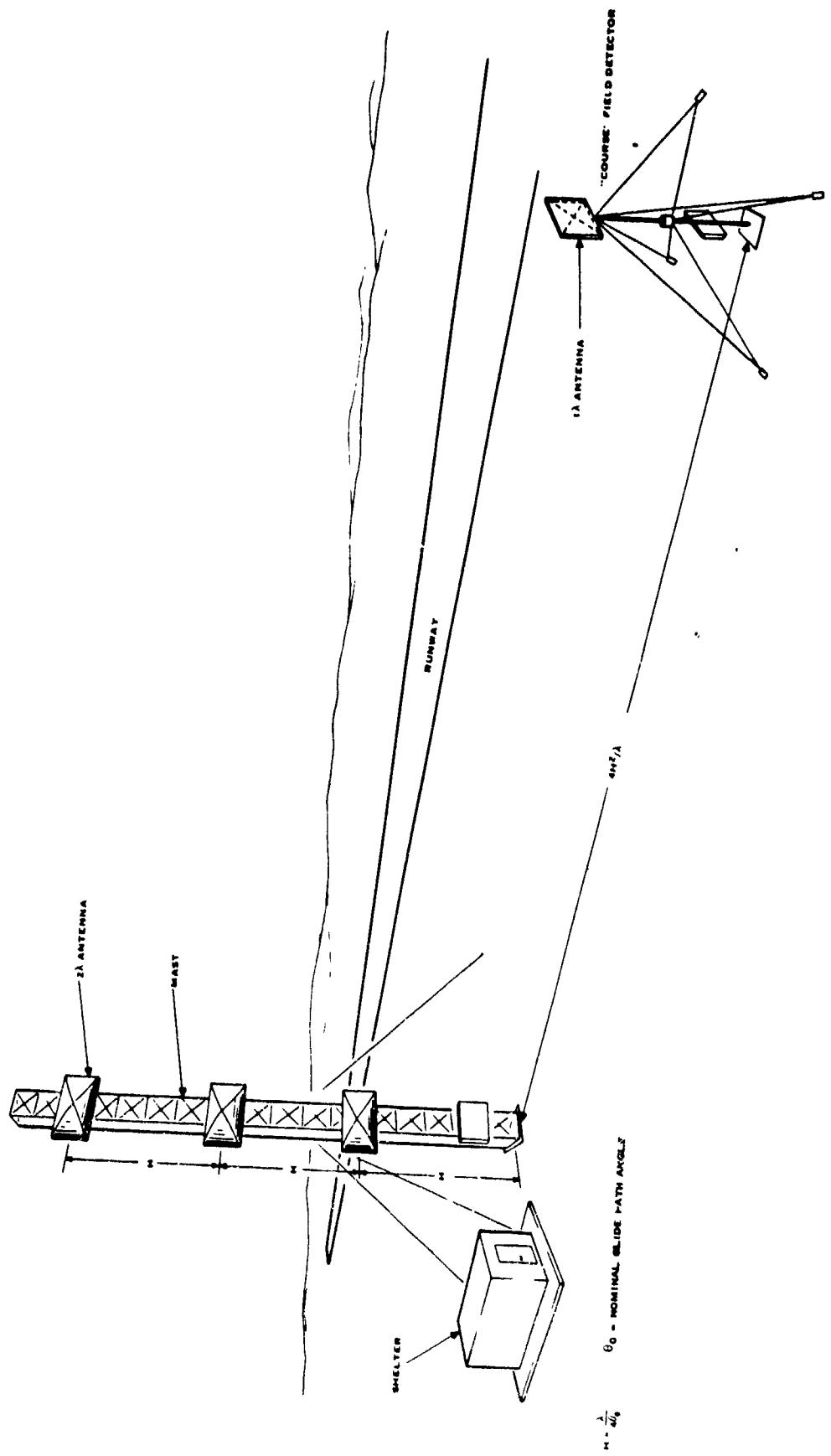
Stan W Glide Slope Elements In The
Capture Effect Configuration

FIGURE 1-12

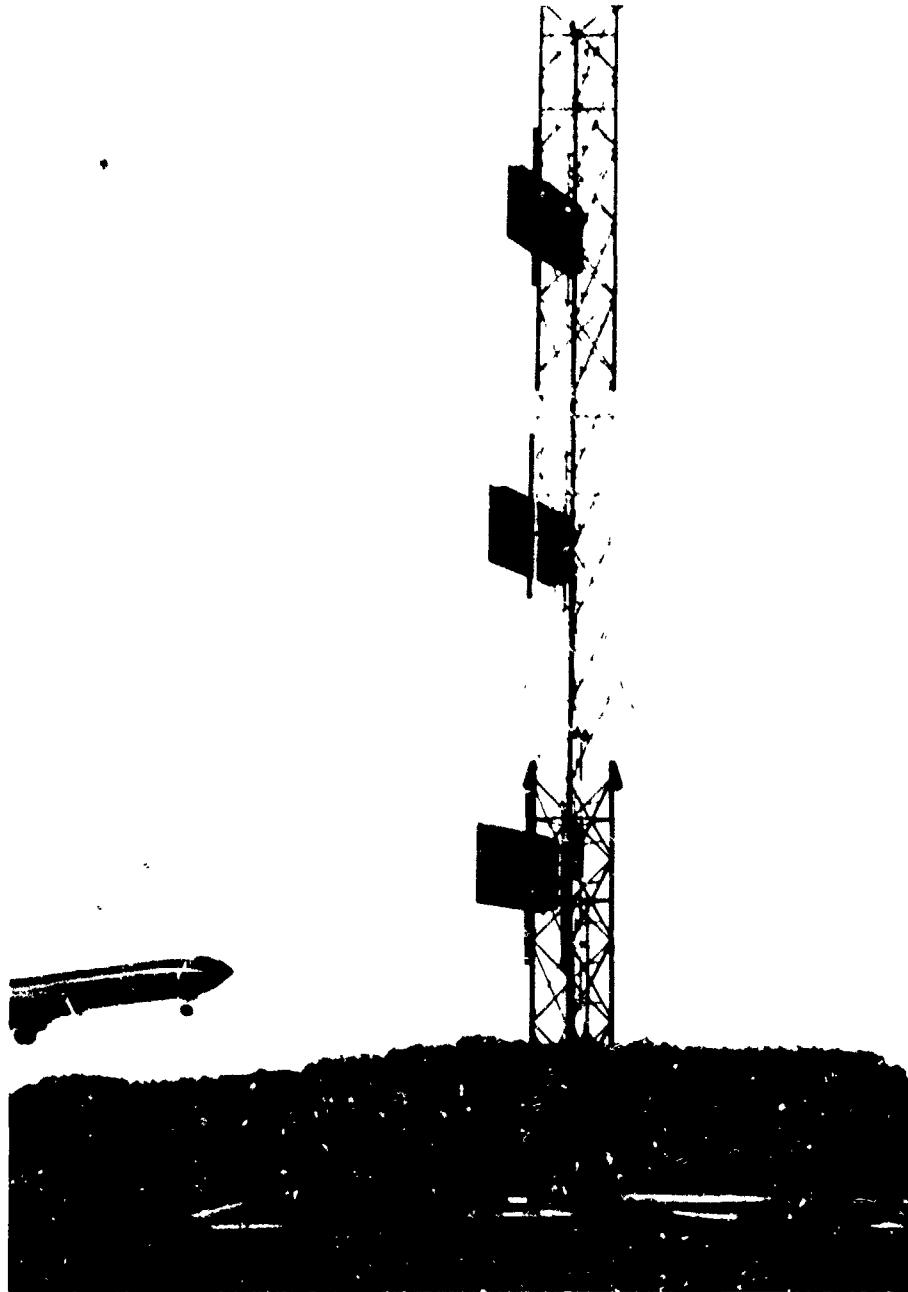


Stan & Glide Slope Element

FIGURE 1-13

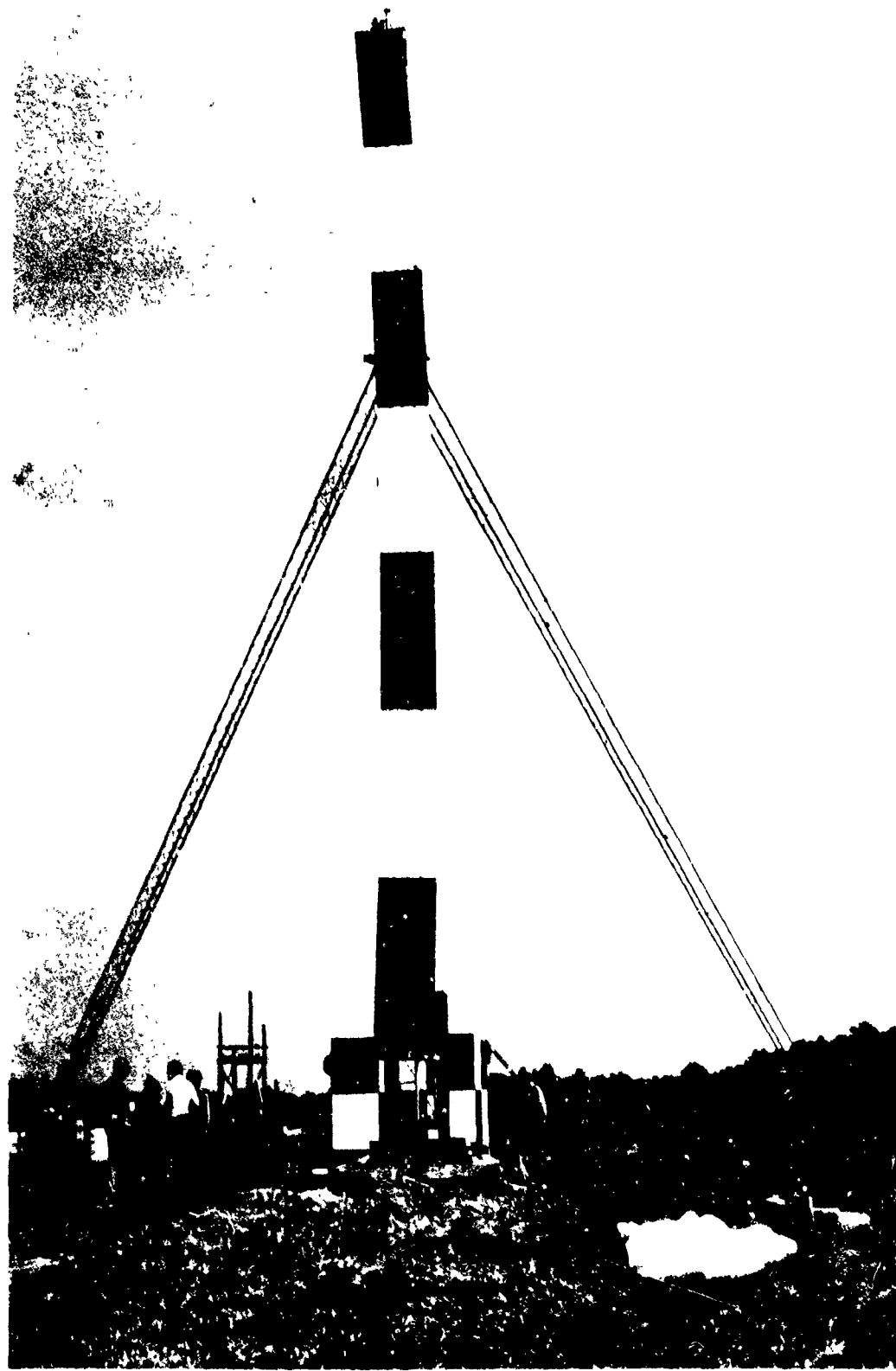


Two-Lambda Antenna
Capture Effect M-Array Glide Slope, General View
FIGURE I 14



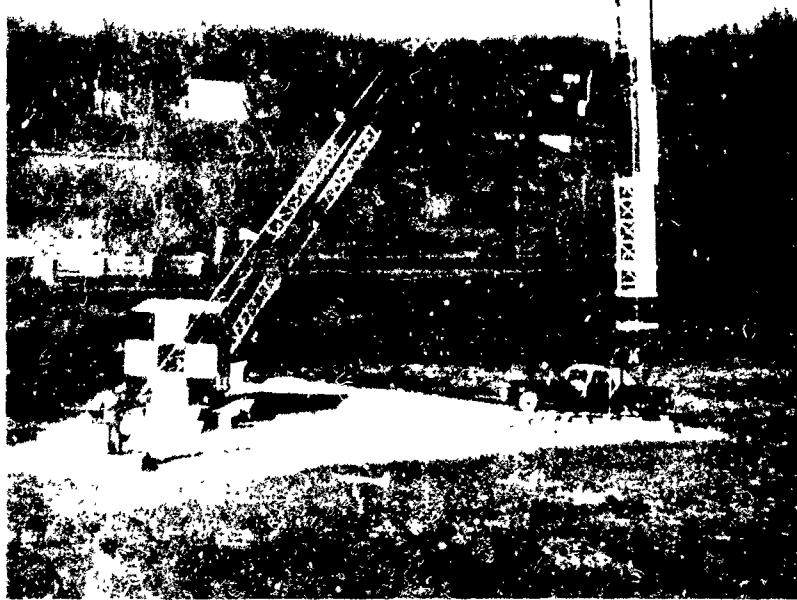
Two Lambda Cassegrainian Glass Slope Antenna
Capture Effect - CCR ratio

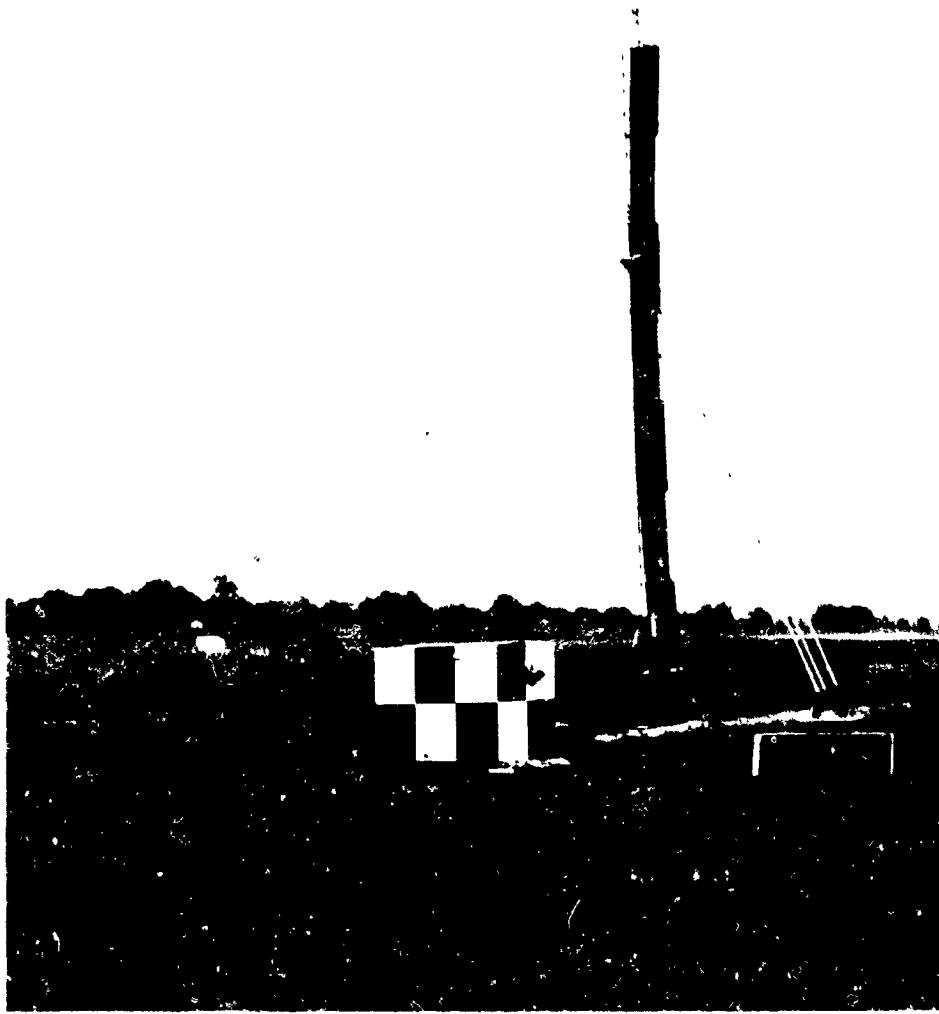
FIGURE 1-1



Waveguide Antenna, Front View

FIGURE I-16





WATERFALL ANTENNA - Night View

FIGURE 1-19

ENGLISH/METRIC CONVERSION FACTORS

LENGTH

To From	cm	m	km	in	ft	mi	mmi
cm	1	0.01	1×10^{-5}	0.3937	0.0328	6.21×10^{-6}	5.39×10^{-6}
m	100	1	0.001	39.37	3.281	0.0006	0.0005
km	100,000	1000	1	39370	3281	0.6214	0.5395
in	2.540	0.0254	2.54×10^{-5}	1	0.0833	1.58×10^{-5}	1.37×10^{-5}
ft	30.48	0.3048	3.05×10^{-6}	12	1	1.89×10^{-6}	1.64×10^{-6}
mi	160,900	1609	1.609	63360	5280	1	0.8688
mmi	185,200	1852	1.852	72930	6076	1.151	1

AREA

To From	cm ²	m ²	km ²	in ²	ft ²	mi ²	mmi ²
cm ²	1	0.0001	1×10^{-10}	0.1550	0.0011	3.70×10^{-11}	5.11×10^{-11}
m ²	10,000	1	1×10^{-6}	1550	10.76	3.86×10^{-7}	5.11×10^{-7}
km ²	1×10^{10}	1×10^6	1	1.55×10^9	1.08×10^7	0.3861	0.2914
in ²	6.452	0.0006	6.45×10^{-10}	1	0.0069	2.49×10^{-10}	1.88×10^{-10}
ft ²	929.0	0.0929	9.29×10^{-8}	144	1	3.59×10^{-8}	2.71×10^{-8}
mi ²	2.59×10^{10}	2.59×10^6	2.590	4.01×10^9	2.79×10^7	1	0.7548
mmi ²	3.43×10^{10}	3.43×10^6	3.432	5.31×10^9	3.70×10^7	1.325	1

VOLUME

To From	cm ³	liter	m ³	in ³	ft ³	yd ³	fl. oz	fl. pt.	fl. qt.	gal.
cm ³	1	0.001	1×10^{-6}	0.0610	3.53×10^{-5}	1.31×10^{-6}	0.0338	0.0021	0.0010	0.0002
liter	1000	1	0.001	61.02	0.0353	0.0013	33.81	2.113	1.057	0.2642
m ³	1×10^6	1000	1	61,000	35.31	1.308	33,800	2113	1057	264.2
in ³	16.39	0.0163	1.64×10^{-5}	1	0.0001	2.14×10^{-5}	0.5541	0.0346	2113	0.0043
ft ³	28.300	28.32	0.0283	1729	1	0.0370	95.5	59.84	0.0173	7.481
yd ³	765,000	764.5	0.7646	46730	27	1	25900	1616	807.9	202.0
fl. oz.	29.57	0.2957	2.96×10^{-5}	1.805	0.0010	3.87×10^{-5}	1	0.0625	0.0312	0.0078
fl. pt.	473.2	0.4732	0.0005	28.88	0.0167	0.0006	16	1	0.5000	0.1250
fl. qt.	946.4	0.9463	0.0009	57.75	0.0334	0.0012	32	2	1	0.2500
gal.	3785	3.785	0.0038	231.0	0.1337	0.0050	128	8	4	1

MASS

To From	g	kg	oz	lb	ton
g	1	0.001	0.0353	0.0022	1.10×10^{-6}
kg	1000	1	35.27	2.205	0.0011
oz	28.35	0.0283	1	0.0625	3.12×10^{-5}
lb	453.6	0.4536	16	1	0.0005
ton	907,000	907.0	32,000	2000	1

TEMPERATURE

$$^{\circ}\text{C} = \frac{5}{9} (^{\circ}\text{F} - 32)$$

$$^{\circ}\text{F} = \frac{9}{5} (^{\circ}\text{C}) + 32$$

Adder Subtr Per
 1 2 3
 4 5 6
 7 8 9
 10 11 12